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SECOND ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

OF THE

CITY OF WESTBROOK,

FOR THE

Fiscal Year Ending February 28, 1893.

TOGETHER WITH

OTHER ANNUAL REPORTS.



GOVERNMENT OF THE CITY OF WESTBROOK.

1892-93.

MAYOR.

MAHLON H. WEBB.

CITY COUNCIL.

JOHN E. WARREN, President.

AT LARGE.

DAVID W. BABB, VALLETTE D. WARD, THOS. J. FOSTER.

WARD 1. — STEPHEN A. CORDWELL,
PETER L. STUART.

WARD 2. — BYRON G. PRIDE,
WILLIAM W. CUTTER.

WARD 3. — JOHN C. SCATES,
ALFRED B. WINSLOW.

WARD 4. — FABIEN L'HEUREUX,
BENJAMIN HASKELL.

WARD 5. — ARTHUR K. WALKER,
JOHN E. WARREN.

CITY CLERK.

FRANK E. WEBB.

Standing Committees of the City Council.

Finance—Aldermen Warren, Scates and Cutter.

Accounts—Aldermen Walker, Winslow and Ward.

Highways, Sidewalks and Bridges—Aldermen Cordwell, Walker and Pride.

Public Grounds and Buildings—Aldermen Foster, Stuart and L'Heureux.

Fire Department—Aldermen Stuart, Haskell and Ward.

Rules and Orders—Aldermen Babb, Cutter and Winslow.

Street Lights—Aldermen L'Heureux, Foster and Babb.

Drains and Sewers—Aldermen Scates, Cordwell and Foster.

Health—Aldermen Haskell, Stuart and Ward.

Police—Aldermen Pride, Scates and Babb.

Laying Out New Streets—Aldermen Cutter, Haskell, Cordwell, Pride and Walker.

CITY OFFICERS.

City Clerk,	FRANK E. WEBB	
City Treasurer,	ALBERT F. MURCH	
Collector of Taxes,	NATHANIEL A. SWETT	
City Auditor,	GEORGE H. KNOWLTON	
City Solicitor,	WILLIAM LYONS	
Commissioner of Streets,	STEPHEN H. SKILLINGS	
Chief Engineer Fire Department,	CHARLES H. LEIGHTON	
1st Assistant Engineer,	JOHN BYRNE	
2d Assistant Engineer,	ALMON N. WATERHOUSE	
City Marshal,	FRANK B. LEIGHTON	
Police Officers,	W. E. WITHAM, S. M. DRESSER, H. S. COUSENS	
City Physician,	JACOB L. HERR	
Superintendent of Schools,	F. E. C. ROBBINS	
Sealer of Weights and Measures,	JOS. H. BABB	
Truant Officers,	W. V. HARMON, CHAS. A. BAILEY, EDW. DOYLE, L. A. ROWE, JOHN W. BRYANT	
Superintendent of Almshouse,	WM. MITCHELL	
Board of Assessors,	ELISHA NEWCOMB, JOS. H. HAZELTON, GEO. T. SPRINGER, EDW. J. HASKELL, JASON LEIGHTON	
Board of Health,	H. K. GRIGGS, H. T. CLARK, JACOB L. HERR	
Board of Overseers of the Poor,	JOHN P. SAWYER, ISAIAH D. LEIGHTON, JOS. KNIGHT	
Board of Trustees of Woodlawn Cemetery,	W. W. LAMB, L. W. EDWARDS, C. E. BOODY	
Fence Viewers and Field Drivers,	A. D. WOODBURY, I. G. BABB, C. E. BOODY	
Pound Keeper,	WILLIAM T. MITCHELL	
Constables,		
CHARLES A. HODSDON,	JOHN MESERVE,	MARK KIMBALL,
CHAS. E. BOOTHBY,	EDW. B. PHINNEY,	H. T. CLARK,
GEO. A. McCUBREY,	N. A. SWETT,	GEO. C. PIKE,
HENRY S. JEWETT,	GEO. WESCOTT,	C. F. MORRILL,
AIDEN PIKE,	G. F. MURCH,	S. M. DRESSER,
THOS. DAVIS,	C. A. ANDERSON,	A. C. CHUTE.
Surveyors of Lumber, Wood and Bark.		
R. C. BOOTH,	A. L. HAWKES,	CHAS. H. ELWELL,
R. K. JORDAN,	S. H. CUTTER,	A. D. WOODBURY,
	I. F. MOULTON.	
Surveyor of Stone,	H. K. GRIGGS	

MAYOR'S ADDRESS.

Gentlemen of the City Council:

By the suffrage of our fellow citizens we have been called from private life to assume for a brief space of time the management of the Municipal affairs of our city. And in response to that call we have assembled here this morning and taken our respective oaths of office, that requires us to discharge with fidelity the duties imposed upon us and safely guard the trust committed to our care.

We come to our official labors I trust, with a full appreciation of their importance, realizing that if we act without fear, favor or prejudice from honest motives and honest convictions we cannot greatly err.

As a necessary consequence of the rapid increase in population, during the last decade, there has been constant demand for the expenditure of large sums of money for necessary public improvements. That same demand confronts us to-day, and will require the exercise of your best judgment to successfully deal with it.

While I recognize the importance of pursuing a course that will encourage our growth and prosperity, it is equally important that the burden of taxation should be made as light as possible.

Trusting that the Municipal Government that we inaugurate to-day, will, during its continuance in office, be guided in a way that will best promote the welfare and progress of our city, and that their labors and associations may be pleasant and harmonious, let us now pass to the question that always demands our attention,

THE FINANCES.

LIABILITIES, MARCH 1, 1892.

Bonded debt,	\$81,500 00
City notes,	32,500 00
Unpaid bills,	1,800 00
Unpaid town bills, 1890,	200 00
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Total,	\$116,000 00

AVAILABILITIES.

Due from Collector, 1881,	\$1,972 12
Due from Collector, 1884-5,	670 64
Due from Collector, 1886,	4,048 43
Due from Collector, 1887,	505 88
Due from Collector, 1888,	3,192 58
Due from Collector, 1889,	2,080 83
Due from Collector, 1890,	10,803 73
Due from Collector, 1891,	14,566 84
Non-resident tax deeds,	447 93
Resident tax deeds,	846 32
Sewer assessments,	745 30
State pensions,	300 00
Due from Town of Deering,	127 64
Due from James M. Webb Estate,	
board of Mrs. Killien at farm,	96 00
Due from A. M. Quinby, milk,	122 56
Cash in Treasury, March 1, 1892,	2,015 28
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Total,	\$42,542 08
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Liabilities less availabilities,	\$73,457 92

PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Recognizing the fact that in the discipline of the mind, and the training of the moral nature, is to be found the truest safeguard to society and to liberty, the citizens of

this city demand, and we shall feel a just pride in maintaining the present high standing of our public schools.

The School Committee have been obliged to advance the salaries of several teachers in order to retain their services. I am in favor, and think it no more than just, that the salaries of nearly all of our teachers should be increased. We should not expect them to work for less than they are paying teachers in other cities for the same amount of labor. According to the report of the School Committee, the sanitary condition of our school houses, with two exceptions, is in good condition. I should advise that these two be put in as good order as the others at the earliest opportunity.

I am in favor of providing ample accommodations so that all pupils in this city, can attend our public schools, in order that there may be no necessity or excuse for their being educated elsewhere.

The time is not far distant when additional school accommodations, in the vicinity of Seavy Street, will become a necessity, and it will be a matter which I urge you to consider whether it would not be advisable to secure a suitable lot at an early date. I am satisfied that money can be saved and it would be for the best interest for the city to purchase school house lots in advance of the actual needs therefor.

Nearly one-fourth of the money raised by taxation for municipal purposes, is expended in the support of our schools. While no one regrets the expenditure of all necessary sums, it should, nevertheless, be wisely and judiciously expended.

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

In all probability sometime during this year, we shall be called upon to accept the munificent bequest of forty thousand dollars of our former fellow-citizen, the late Joseph Walker. This most generous sum was donated by Mr. Walker for the purpose of erecting a neat, substantial stone or brick building of sufficient size, and in form adapt-

ed for the use and purpose of a Public Library and furnishing the same with books, furniture, etc. If this bequest is accepted, under the provision of the will, it becomes incumbent on the city to keep the building, grounds and everything connected therewith in good repair and condition.

I most earnestly hope and urge that this bequest be cheerfully accepted by our city, and the necessary appropriations be made to comply with all demanded conditions. Such an institution would be heartily appreciated by our citizens, and would serve as an everlasting monument to perpetuate the memory of the donor.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

In accordance with the provisions of the City Charter, a fire department has been established. By the chief engineer's report, the city needs one thousand feet of hose and a hook and ladder truck. I would advise keeping the fire department well equipped. Our great safety against fires lies not in the strength of the department, but in its ability to reach and extinguish a fire before it gains much headway.

STREETS.

This department will always require large appropriations. Our streets which are many and increasing every year, and of such soil for the most part, that they need quite an annual outlay to keep them in repair, and always will until they are stoned or paved.

I have not recommended any specific sum to be appropriated in any department of our expenditures. I have thought it best to leave that to your judgment. I would advise that the appropriation for streets be adequate to make some permanent repairs on our crushed stone streets. The only proper material to repair such streets, is crushed stone or stone paving. The present condition of Main Street, from Saco Street to Brown's Hall is a disgrace to the city, and the use of the street is an aggravation rather than a gratification.

Good streets and sidewalks are a public necessity and contribute to the prosperity of a city, and are some indication of the intelligence, the thrift and enterprise of its people.

SEWERS.

A subject of the most vital importance to the health of our citizens, is the public and private sewers.

By order of the city council, Brackett street sewer was extended to Pennell street, a distance of about three hundred feet. And about three hundred and thirty feet of sewer was put in Pennell street. Oak street sewer was continued across land of W. W. Lamb, to the street, a distance of about twelve hundred feet. The costs of constructing the same will found in the forthcoming report.

SIDEWALKS.

This department needs considerable attention on account of the large amount of old board sidewalks which are dangerous and constantly getting out of repair.

CITY POOR.

The report made by the Overseers of the Poor tells us that the poor have been well provided with the necessities of life during the last year. The affairs of the City Farm have been under the efficient management of Mr. and Mrs. John Sawyer. I know from past experience of Mr. and Mrs. Sawyer, that all those who through misfortune have been obliged to call on public charity in our city, have been as comfortably cared for as circumstances would permit.

STREET LIGHTS.

The contract that the Selectmen made with the Westbrook Electric Light Company, was for twenty-seven arc lights at \$100.00 per light, making a total of \$2,700.00.

The council ordered two more lights, one on Brackett street and one on Stroudwater street.

During the last year, there have been several petitions to the City Council for more lights, and many of them have been referred to this Council. I trust you will make your appropriations adequate for these demands.

IN CONCLUSION.

Let us remember that those who preceded us were men wise in council and eminent in business ability, that have successfully administered the trust now committed to our care. Let us emulate their example, for by so doing we shall obtain the approbation of those who placed us in power, and have the proud satisfaction of handing to our successors an unsullied trust, faithfully administered.

SECOND ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
CITY AUDITOR
FOR THE
FISCAL YEAR ENDING FEB. 28, 1893.

AUDITOR'S REPORT.

AUDITOR'S OFFICE, Feb. 28, 1893.

To the Honorable City Council :

Gentlemen:—In accordance with the requirements of the ordinance relating to the office of "Auditor of Accounts," I have the honor to present herewith my report of the Receipts and Expenditures of the various departments of the City of Westbrook for the financial year ending Feb 28, 1893.

The first account in the report is the "Old Liabilities," or bills contracted prior to Feb. 29, 1892. As no appropriation was made to cover these expenditures, the total amount has been charged against the City Debt account.

Taking the figures as reported by the Auditor in his report of Feb. 29, 1892, the City Debt at the beginning of the year was as follows :

LIABILITIES.

Bonded debt,	\$81,500	00	
City Notes,	34,500	00	
Unpaid Mayor's orders,	490	58	
	\$116,490	58	

AVAILABILITIES.

Old availabilities,	\$ 766 78	
Tax deeds,	1,294 25	
Due from Collectors,	37,841 05	
Balance in Treasury,	3,486 20	
	<hr/>	\$43,388 28
Net debt. Feb. 29, 1892.		\$73,102 30
To this amount add the amount of		
Old Liabilities,		910 67
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Total debt, Feb. 29, 1892.		\$74,012 97
Actual debt, Feb. 28, 1893, as per statement,		68,600 70
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Actual reduction of debt during 1892-3,		\$5,412 27

It will be noticed that under the accounts of Old Liabilities, Alms House and Farm, Drains and Sewers, Fire Department, Incidentals, Police, Roads and Bridges, Salaries, Snow and Spring Repairs, Support of Poor, Common School, School Book, School House Repairs and Sidewalks, are memorandums of "Mayor's orders, unpaid." These amounts are included in the expenditures of the respective accounts under which they appear, but the orders have not been presented to the Treasurer for payment.

Accounts in detail of the city property, the city debt, and all other statements required by the ordinance establishing this department, will be found under their appropriate heads.

Respectfully submitted,

G. H. KNOWLTON, *Auditor of Accounts.*

The following report in detail has been examined by us, in accordance with the provisions of "An ordinance relating to closing the annual accounts and publishing city reports," and we hereby approve said report and certify that it is correct.

A. K. WALKER,	}	<i>Committee on Accounts.</i>
A. B. WINSLOW,		
V. D. WARD,		

AUDITOR'S REPORT.

Statement of Old Liabilities or Bills contracted prior to
Feb. 29, 1892, paid during the current
municipal year.

DR.	OLD LIABILITIES.	CR.
To Expenditures,	\$910 67 Bal. to City Debt,	\$910 67
Mayor's Orders, Nos. 12 and 49, amounting to \$43.95, unpaid.		

The itemized expenditures under this account are as follows :

ALMS HOUSE AND FARM.

Quinby, I. F. & Co.	\$1 00	
Staples, Jerry	4 00	
	\$ 5 00	

DRAINS AND SEWERS.

Davis, Albert	\$1 50	
Fields, Amos	1 50	
	3 00	

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Fernald, E. K.	\$ 3 50	
Wheeler & Son, John	12 00	
	15 50	

INCIDENTALS.

Craigie, Wm.	\$45 00	
Evening Express Pub. Co.,	45 00	
Lewis, Thos. M.	13 05	
Pride, Dwinal	1 00	
Porter, C. N.	39 00	
Quinby, I. F. & Co.	6 64	
	<hr/>	149 69

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Bailey, Geo.	\$13 28	
Brackett, A. C.	58 00	
Brackett, A. A.	9 60	
Lowell, E. H.	8 75	
Leighton, Lionel	3 00	
Pride, Z.	5 40	
Sharon, Jos.	10 50	
Skillings, S. H.	22 50	
Woodman, Benj.	49 50	
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SUPPORT OF POOR.

Crague, Wm. L.	\$24 00	
Maine Insane Hospital,	72 62	
Quinby, I. F. & Co.	8 25	
Woodbury, A. D.	16 00	
	<hr/>	120 87

SALARIES.

Horr, J. L., M. D.	20 85	
Hawes, H. H. B.	26 50	
Haskell, E. J.	26 50	
Hardy, James L.	26 50	
Larrabee, Fred L.	26 50	
Springer, Geo. T.	94 00	
McLellan, C. J.	30 00	
	<hr/>	250 85

SCHOOLS.

Babbidge, Wm.	\$ 30	
Brooks, E. S.	2 05	
Boston School Supply Co.,	5 70	
Dunn, J. K. & Co.,	60	
Fortin, John	3 95	
Hardy, J. L.	5 50	
Jewett, Henry S.	2 25	
Lee & Shepard,	50	
Scates & Co.,	13 76	
Watson, Marcus	70 00	
	<hr/>	104 61

SNOW AND SPRING REPAIRS.

Bishop, H. J.	\$ 1 12	
Brackett, A. C.	12 95	
Boody, C. E.	19 95	
Chapman, M.	3 50	
Davis, Albert	1 35	
Hardy, J. L.	14 75	
Shehan, C. C.	3 00	
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WOODLAWN CEMETERY.

Taggart, D.	\$24 00	
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		\$910 67

Statement of the Receipts and Expenditures of the
City of Westbrook for the Municipal
Year ending Feb. 29, '93.

DR.	ABATEMENTS.	CR.
To Abatements,	\$1,653 67	By appropriation for
Commissions,	1,006 18	Abatements and
		Commissions, \$2,500 00
		Bal. overdrawn, 159 85
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	\$2,659 85	\$2,659 85

DR.	COMMISSIONS.	CR.
To N. A. Swett, '89,	\$ 37 90	By Abatem'ts above, \$1,006 18
N. A. Swett, '90,	160 12	
N. A. Swett, '92,	654 74	
G. F. Murch, '91,	153 42	
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	\$1,006 18	\$1,006 18

DR.	ALMS HOUSE AND FARM.	CR.
To Expenditures,	\$2,510 50	By Appropriation, \$2,000 00
Chapman Farm,	12 30	Receipts, 526 48
Bal. unexpended,	3 68	
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	\$2,526 48	\$2,526 48

By Team on streets,	\$422 57
Team on sidew'ks,	222 56
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	\$645 13

Mayor's Orders, Nos. 32, 118, 120, amounting to \$24.65,
unpaid.

EXPENDITURES.

Andrews, C. L.	\$ 3 65
Adams & Crague,	30 15
Babb, Joseph	325 81
Brooks, E. S.	14 00
Best, J. L.	7 10
Cutter, W. W.	30 17
Dunn, J. K. & Co.,	237 13
Dunn, Geo. C.	24 95
Dresser, W. F.	39 61
Dickson, Amos	25 00
Eastman, Kimball	28 05
Fournier, Antoine	9 00
Fields, Amos	2 25
Guptill, Lyman	14 50
Greenlaw, Jos.	5 00
Hawkes, A. L.	8 00
Hulit, James A.	95 00
Hudson, Joseph	5 00
Kimball, W. P.	15 73
Knight, J. C.	18 73
Knight, S. B.	35 00
Leavitt, R. H.	108 00
Lowe, I. P.	7 15
Leighton, C. H.	1 50
London, C. L.	7 80
Leighton, F. B.	1 00
Libby, J. A.	7 28
Libby, James W.	10 75
Lebree, Nelson	3 50
Libby, Alonzo	20 00
Mosher, Melinda	19 75
Mitchell, Wm. T.	303 74
McKenney & Martin,	14 79
Maw, C. P.	10 00
Merrill, J. A.	5 00
McLaughton, Robert	23 00

McCavitt, Dennis	1 75
Montgomery, Edgar	24 55
McLellan, H. S.	22 15
McLellan, W. E.	39 46
Nason, A. H.	7 50
Pride, B. G.	79 76
Portland & Rochester R. R.	70 62
Partridge, Geo. H.	8 25
Pride, Dwinal	18 00
Pride, W. D.	135 00
Palmer, H. & F. L.	16 00
Partridge, John	1 87
Raymond, Geo. H.	194 48
Reed, Lemuel	3 19
Riggs, A. S.	3 00
Sawyer, J. P.	83 34
Snow, T. H.	8 11
Stevenson, Alex. & Co.	26 75
Sloan, Robert	3 75
Staples, Jerry	10 25
St. Peter, Fred	3 00
Skillings, A. T.	154 42
Tripp, G. B.	13 98
Tripp, Fred	1 73
Westbrook Hardware Co.,	36 64
Wheeler, John & Son,	86
Whitney, Carl	23 00
Wescott, L. E.	1 00
Witham, W. E.	1 00
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	\$2,510 50

RECEIPTS.

John Sawyer account, milk sold,	\$35 26
“ “ hay sold,	30 70
Wm. T. Mitchell account, milk sold,	220 82
“ “ labor,	22 40
“ “ cow sold,	18 00
“ “ hay sold,	199 30
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	\$ 526 48

Dr.		BONDS.		Cr.
To Amt. paid,	\$ 5,500 00	By Bal. Feb. 28, '92,	\$81,500 00	
Bal. due,	98,000 00	Bonds issued,	22,000 00	
	<u>\$103,500 00</u>		<u>\$103,500 00</u>	
Bonds paid, Nos. 43, 49, 97, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136.				

Dr.		CITY NOTES.		Cr.
To Amt. paid,	\$38,500 00	By Bal. Feb. 28, '92,	\$34,500 00	
Bal. due,	12,000 00	Notes issued,	16,000 00	
	<u>\$50,500 00</u>		<u>\$50,500 00</u>	

Dr.		CHAPMAN FARM.		Cr.
To Expenditures,	\$47 30	By Receipts,	\$35 00	
		Bal. Alms House		
		and Farm,	12 30	
	<u>\$47 30</u>		<u>\$47 30</u>	

EXPENDITURES.

Hawkes, A. L.	\$18 30	
Babb, I. G.	10 00	
Stone, John	19 00	
	<u>\$47 30</u>	

RECEIPTS.

L. P. Knights,	\$35 00	
	<u>\$35 00</u>	

Dr.		DISCOUNT ON TAXES.		Cr.
To N. A. Swett,	\$1,955 93	By Appropriation,	\$1,400 00	
		Bal. overdrawn,	555 93	
	<u>\$1,955 93</u>		<u>\$1,955 93</u>	

Dr.		DRAINS AND SEWERS.		Cr.
To Expenditures,	\$2,886 52	By Appropriation,	\$3,000 00	
Bal. unexpended,	298 16	Receipts,	184 68	
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	\$3,184 68		\$3,184 68	

Mayor's Orders, Nos. 86, 151, 155, 156, 161, amounting to \$26.42, unpaid.

EXPENDITURES.

Allen, John	\$ 7 50
Asanault, S.	28 61
Anderson, Chas. A.	39 25
Brooks, E. S.	42 90
Beauchaine, A.	2 25
Berry, John	7 00
Berryment, Geo.	16 50
Bailey, F. A.	108 63
Boynton, A. J.	28 12
Brook, Jas.	37 60
Biladeau, Paul	6 75
Chase, A. A.	2 00
Cousens, H. S.	60 00
Dame, Peter	21 75
Daniael, E.	12 75
Daniael, F.	75
Dwarang, J.	6 75
Day, Augustus	8 25
Foster & Brown,	7 05
Fagan, Patrick	67 87
Fredett, Octave	5 25
Goff, E. M.	4 80
Grant, F. H.	14 00
Gallant, Archie	7 50
Gallant, Albert	15 00
Grant, J. C.	16 94
Gilbert, Chas.	33 37
Garnet, A.	3 75
Hawkes, A. L.	115 88

Hubbard, Edw.	32 37
Houle, L.	6 75
Hubbard, Chas.	38 00
King, Cyrus	43 00
Knight, J. C.	33 60
King, Thomas	9 19
Knight, Mark	5 00
Libby, Angier	34 50
London, C. L.	19 20
Libby, Stephen	22 87
Leighton, F. B.	13 63
Laundry, Archie	31 35
Libby, Freeland	1 12
Libby, Wm.	3 75
Lemeux, Jos.	9 00
Lapoint, David	3 75
Mogan, Michael	9 52
McCavitt, Dennis	41 25
Mayberry, S. H.	31 25
Mausett, Eli	8 25
Mason, John	46 87
McCartney, James	6 37
O'Clair, Joel	22 13
Partridge, Chas.	2 00
Powers, Rob't.	6 00
Pride, W. D.	10 85
Pratt, Anthony	32 25
Perry, Paul	22 69
Perry, Benj.	28 05
Pratt, W. Scott	60 84
Penmault, Lewis	9 75
Portland Water Co.	4 20
Pratt, Jos.	7 50
Pratt, Henry	31 12
Penault, X.	25 50
Pomerleau, N.	1 50
Raymond, Geo. H.	292 21

Roberts, Geo. F.	67	71	
Rousseau, A.	7	50	
Russell, Edw.	13	82	
Rioux, Paul	31	35	
Stiles, M. W.	4	50	
Smith, Geo.	5	62	
Stone, John	25	81	
St. Louis A.	21	75	
St. Peter, P.	29	70	
St. Peter, Elie	29	70	
True Bros.,	4	50	
Thuott, Henry	8	25	
Wheeler, John & Son,	711	64	
Warren, J. E. Agt.,	90	42	
Ward, Fred	61	18	
Whitney, Carl	27	00	
Webber, J. H.	10	12	
			\$2,886 52

The foregoing expenditures are divided as follows :

General Sewer Account,	\$ 480	76	
Brackett Street Sewer,	182	32	
Bridge Street Sewer	1,107	87	
Brown, North and King Street Sewer,	1,115	57	
			\$2,886 52

RECEIPTS.

Tourangeau, Ludger	entering,	\$ 15	00
Andrews, Arthur E.	"	15	00
London, Chas.	"	15	00
Cloudman, F. A.	"	30	00
Welsh, Jas.	"	5	00
Raymond, K. S.	"	15	00
Howe, Rob't. L.	"	15	00
Horr, J. L.	"	15	00
Sylvester, W.	"	10	00
Newman, E. A.	"	15	00

Lamb, W. W., elbow, cement and labor,	1 04	
Minnick, W. W. entering,	10 00	
Goodell, John	1 00	
Titcomb, C. W.	2 64	
Hadlock, A.	10 00	
Boucher, C.	10 00	
	<hr/>	\$184 68

DR. FIRE DEPARTMENT. CR.

To Expenditures,	\$793 29	By Appropriation,	\$1,000 00
Bal. unexpended,	206 71		
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	\$1,000 00		\$1,000 00

Mayor's Orders, Nos. 14 and 15, amounting to \$91.90, unpaid.

EXPENDITURES.

Cairns & Bros.	\$ 51 13	
Crosby, H. M.	7 10	
Dunn, J. K. & Co.	20	
Dunn, G. C.	20 40	
Eastman, Kimball	1 90	
Morse, A. J. & Son,	20 42	
N. Y. Belting & Packing Co.	297 00	
Presumpscot Hose Co., No. 1,	75 00	
Pride, W. D.	10 50	
Roberts, B. F.	90 00	
Sawyer, Geo. H.	1 00	
Snow, T. H.	32 00	
Trafton, James	90 00	
Valentine Hose Co., No. 2,	75 00	
Wheeler, John & Son,	21 64	
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DR.		HEALTH DEPARTMENT.		CR.	
To Expenditures,	\$318 73	By Appropriation,	\$400 00		
Bal. unexpended,	81 27				
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	\$400 00				\$400 00

EXPENDITURES.

Boyd, Mrs. Sam'l.	\$ 25 00
Boyd, Archibald	10 00
Brooks, E. S.	35
Cowen, Wm.	7 50
Cobb, H. S.	7 25
Coyne, John	11 25
Coyne, Georgianna	10 00
Cooper, Peter	15 00
Dandineau & Girard,	1 04
Fortin, John	30 00
Grant, Fairfield	21 25
Griggs, H. K.	2 25
Guptill, Lyman	30
Hay, H. H. & Son,	5 07
Higgins, Fanny	11 87
Johnson, Joshua	10 00
Leighton, Chas.	22 50
Libby, Wm.	10 00
McCamb, Thos.	10 00
Mullen, James	15 00
Odell, Fred	13 75
Ouilette, Alphonzo	26 25
Pike, Geo. C.	2 50
Pomerleau, Dames	13 75
Pride, W. D.	35
Scott, Thos.	13 75
Snow, T. H.	25
Stokes, J. P.	16 25
Stevens, W. S.	6 25
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	\$318 73

Dr.	INCIDENTALS.	Cr.
To Expenditures,		By Appropriation, \$3,094 83
Election, \$ 540 38		Receipts, 93 75
Miscellaneous, 1,926 02		
Registration, 368 43		
Bal. unexpended, 353 75		
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	\$3,188 58	\$3,188 58

Mayor's Orders, Nos. 128, 136, 141, 143, 144, 147, 150, 154, 155, 168, 169, 170, 171, 173, amounting to \$368.17, unpaid..

ELECTION EXPENSES.

Ayer, W. E.	\$ 6 00
Bennett, H. B.	7 90
Boynton, H. T.	2 59
Bryant, John W.	7 00
Brigham, J. D.	4 00
Bachelder, Arch	2 00
Charland, Dorick	2 00
Cloudman, A. C.	6 00
Cloudman, F. H.	2 00
Cloudman, C. H.	10 00
Clark, Chas. S.	4 00
Crowley, W. S.	4 00
Cutter, D. B.	4 00
Davis, Thos.	6 00
Doyle, Edw.	8 00
Dunn, J. K. & Co.,	1 05
Eastman, Kimball	27
Estes, J. C.	10 00
Farley, W. C.	6 00
Fortin, John	18 05
Graham, Chas. C.	2 00
Gray, Geo. B.	4 00
Gray, A. E.	4 00
Goozey, A. C.	4 00
Grant, F. H.	4 00

Haskell, E. J.	2 00
Hill, Frank E.	31 50
Hasey, J. F.	4 00
Jobin, Leonce	4 00
Kimball, Mark	6 00
Knight, Jos.	2 00
Knowlton, G. H.	4 00
Ledoux, Jerry	2 00
McKenney & Martin,	128 69
Melvin, A. A.	40 00
Moses, C. A.	8 00
Murch, G. Fred	14 00
Morton, Seth C.	4 00
Meserve, John	4 00
Parker, W. H.	8 00
Phinney, E. B.	12 00
Pride, W. D.	6 00
Pomerleau, Timothy	4 00
Rowe, L. A.	3 50
Southworth Bros.,	2 25
Sullivan, M. O.	6 00
Swett, N. A.	36 00
Springer, G. T.	4 00
Starr, H. G.	4 00
Sproul, G. B.	4 00
Stevenson, Alex	2 00
Tufts, S. F.	4 00
Verrill, F. A.	6 00
Warren, J. E. Agt.,	3 58
Watson, Marcus	30 00
Walker, E. M.	2 00
Webb, W. W.	8 00
Waterman, C. F.	4 00
Woodbury, A. D.	4 00
Welch, Wm.	4 00
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	\$540 38

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENDITURES.

American Band,	\$ 2 50
Barrett, Dr. F.	1 75
Bennett, H. B.	1 60
Bell, Hugh	8 22
Boynton, H. T.	1 90
Brooks, E. S.	35
Burroughs, A. H.	4 50
Columbian Day Committee,	46 00
Couturier, Dr. Adj.	17 75
Cobb, Dr. A. E.	1 50
Cobb, O. A.	15 00
Cloudman Post No. 100, G. A. R.,	75 00
Dunn, J. K. & Co.,	54
Dunnell, Joseph	5 58
Eastern Argus,	3 00
Evening Express,	3 00
Farley, Annie M.	2 25
Forrest, Andrew	5 50
Fortin, John	14 00
Gilmore, Hugh	25 00
Graffam, Walter S.	35 00
Grant, Jos. C.	4 22
Hawes, H. H. B.	11 22
Haase, C. F. W.	8 22
Haskell, E. J.	30 00
Hazelton, J. H.	30 00
Hezelton, G. J.	25 00
Hill, Frank E.	2 00
Hodsdon, Wm. P,	50
Horr, J. L.	15 00
Knowlton, G. H.	10 10
Laberge, Chas.	16 00
Lankers, Jas. P.	6 72
Leighton, Jason	30 00
Leighton, Geo.	8 22
Leighton, F. B.	31 00

L'Heureux, F.	2 50	
Loring, Short & Harmon,	7 00	
Lyons, Wm.	5 00	
Maw, C. P.	6 00	
McKenney & Martin	89 40	
Melvin, A. A.	89 00	
Murray, Hugh	6 72	
Murch, A. F.	50	
Naylor, Peter	2 22	
Newcomb, E.	30 00	
New England Furniture Co.,	22 00	
O'Brien, Patrick	2 00	
Saccarappa Lodge No. 11, I. O. O. F.,	150 00	
Phinney, E. B.	45 00	
Pride, W. D.	3 75	
Small, Z.	20 00	
Smith, Dr. T. P.	33 50	
Snow, T. H.	1 53	
Spear, W. W.	1 50	
Springer, G. T.	122 30	
Starr, H. G.	1 15	
Stevens, James C.	2 30	
Swan, John	7 50	
Swett, N. A.	63 56	
Thompson, J. M.	8 00	
Warren, J. E. Agt.,	227 25	
Watson, Marcus	358 25	
Westbrook Hardware Co.,	14 52	
Westbrook Trust Co.,	12 00	
Webb, Frank E.	49 05	
Wheeler, John & Son,	20 38	
Woodman, C. B.	22 00	
Wyer, W. H.	2 00	
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REGISTRATION EXPENSES.

Davis, Thos.	5 00
Griggs, H. K.	79 33

Hasey, John F.	12 00	
Jackson, Chas. E.	87 00	
Lawrence, C. W.	1 25	
Lewis, Thos. M.	8 00	
Leighton, G. W.	75 00	
Meserve, John	2 00	
Melvin, A. A.	2 00	
Raymond, G. H.	1 35	
Roberts, B. F.	1 50	
Waterhouse, C. M.	65 00	
Webb, W. W.	24 00	
Woodbury, A. D.	5 00	
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RECEIPTS.

Irvin Bros., license,	8 00	
Lee's Circus, "	5 00	
Railroad and Telegraph Tax,	65 75	
Shaw, Judge, cruelty to animals fines,	5 00	
Worcester, license,	5 00	
Van Cordelia, "	5 00	
	<hr/>	\$93 75

DR.	INTEREST.		CR.
To Int. Bonds,	\$3,658 00	By Appropriation,	\$5,000 00
Int. Notes,	1,304 37	Int. on Taxes,	384 57
Bal. unexpended,	526 64	Int. on Bonds,	104 44
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	\$5,489 01		\$5,489 01

DR.	MEMORIAL DAY.		CR.
To Cloudman Post,		By Appropriation,	\$75 00
No. 100,	\$75 00		

Dr.	NEWCOMB LOT.	Cr.
To E. Newcomb,	\$600 00 By Appropriation,	\$600 00

Dr.	POLICE DEPARTMENT.	Cr.
To Expenditures,	\$2,176 84 By Appropriation,	\$2,000 00
		Bal. overdrawn, 176 84
	<u>\$2,176 84</u>	<u>\$2,176 84</u>

EXPENDITURES.

Anderson, C. A.	\$ 7 00
Cousens, H. S., conveying prisoners,	8 00
Cousens, H. S.	646 43
Cutter, John F.	7 00
Dresser, S. M.	646 43
Jackson, David	20 00
Edwards, Chas. B.	8 00
Kimball, Mark	10 00
Leburn, Alex.	8 00
Leighton,	5 80
Pike, A.	8 00
Pride, Dwinal	18 25
Roberts, B. F.	5 00
Stone, John	48 50
Welch, Wm.	76 00
Witham, W. E., conveying prisoners,	8 00
Witham, W. E.	646 43
	<u>\$2,176 84</u>

DR.	ROADS AND BRIDGES.	CR.
To Expenditures, \$4,259 42	By Appropriation.	\$6,000 00
Snow and Spring		
Repairs, 519 49		
Bal. unexpended, 1,221 09		
	\$6,000 00	\$6,000 00

Labor Farm Team, \$422 57 | 167½ c'ds gravel on hd., \$590 33

Mayor's Orders, Nos. 29, 71, 125, 126, 132, 139, 145, 148, 186, 225, 229, 249, 256, 257, 259, 263, 264, 266, 270, 271, 276, 278, 279, 282, 284, 285, amounting to \$326.86, unpaid.

EXPENDITURES.

Allen, Wm.	\$34 50
Ames Plow Co.,	35 00
Ames, C. T.	52
Anderson, C. A.	165 13
Bailey, F. A.	23 05
Babb, Smith	18 50
Babb, I. G.	8 00
Babb, W. F.	26 25
Babb, W. P.	3 00
Berryment, Geo.	8 62
Boody, N. W.	4 20
Boody, C. E.	7 70
Boynton, A. J.	32 25
Bishop, Harvey	43 88
Brackett, E. J.	46 83
Brackett, A. C.	7 00
Brooks, E. S.	6 50
Brooks, Jas.	20 25
Barbour, Geo.	9 30
Brackett, A. A.	2 25
Barney, Louis	41 48
Couter, John	3 75

Clark, H. T., Agt.	26 50
Conant, Daniel	147 35
Cobb, Geo. M.	31 25
Colley, Deering	10 10
Curtis, Fred	35 10
Chase, Amos A.	38 25
Day, A.	49 87
Deering, City of	97 41
Deering, Winslow & Co.,	37 05
Delcourt, Marvin	9 60
Eastman, Kimball	2 25
Frazier, James	1 50
Fredett, Octave	2 25
Fagan, Patrick	17 25
Gilbert, Chas.	14 25
Gibbans, Daniel	4 50
Goodwin, C. H. & A.	67 40
Goff & Plummer,	19 00
Gowen, Levi	13 75
Gowen, James H.	10 50
Gowen, James	10 50
Griggs, H. K.	35 09
Grant, F. H.	79 50
Graffam, Benj.	55 25
Gordon, John	4 50
Hadlock, Geo.	2 10
Harmon, A.	10 25
Hawkes, Thos.	12 70
Hardy, J. L. & Son,	20 25
Hall, A. M.,	4 00
Hurley, Chas.	39 75
Hale, Alpheus	3 00
Hale, J.	5 50
Hale, Nathaniel	1 50
Herbert, Gud	23 25
Haskell, Solomon	18 75
Jones, A. C.	2 25

Jameson, Geo.	10 00
Kendall & Whitney,	5 50
King, Cyrus	2 50
Kinmond, Mrs. E.	7 35
Knight, S. B.	82 50
Knight, Warren	3 00
Lamb, W. W.	7 12
Lapoint, David	36 37
Laundry, A.	1 50
Leighton, F. B.	173 23
Lemeux, Jas.	28 87
Libby, Angier	109 50
Libby, Peter	36 38
Libby, Alonzo	8 40
Libby, Edw.	7 13
L'Heureux, F. & Co.	1 00
Loudon, Chas.	24 90
Lord, Chas.	3 30
Lowell, E. H.	10 25
Lewis, A. S.	52 87
Lowell, Mrs. D.	12 25
Leighton, Joel	1 75
Lawrence, W.	1 50
Laundry, N.	41 46
Manley, Jas.	5 62
Mayberry, S. H.	47 37
Mayberry, Geo.	8 25
Maxwell, C. P.	3 50
Mace, C. W.	6 38
McCartney, James	1 50
McCavitt, Dennis	47 63
Moresett, Elie	22 87
Morris, J. W.	9 00
Murphy, S.	21 38
Morrill, Horace	1 50
Merrill, F. C.	7 88
Pomerleau, Timothy	48 50

Pike, Geo. C.	60 50
Powers, Robt.	40 80
Portland Wooden Ware Co.,	7 20
Pratt, Henry	100 87
Pratt, Anthony	81 75
Pratt, W. Scott	15 31
Pride, W. D.	2 80
Pride, Zebulon	3 75
Pride, J. H.	10 60
Pride, Geo.	12 50
Quinby, I. F.	5 00
Raymond, H. M.	169 87
Roberts, M. G.	7 45
Robinson, H. M.	3 00
Robinson, R. S.	80
Roberts, J. D.	167 50
Rideout, Benj.	3 00
Russell, Edw.	6 00
Sawyer, J. E.	32 83
Sawyer, John	5 75
Shehan, C. C.	28 00
Skillings, S. H.	247 45
Snow, T. H.	6 62
Stone, Levi	3 00
Stone, John	64 12
St. Peter, Fred	11 25
Small, E. F.	5 62
Thayer, E. F.	4 50
Thomas, C. O.	9 25
Thomas, Chas.	5 25
Thuott, Henry	6 00
Walker, E. S.	45 25
Wallace, M.	4 50
Waterhouse, G. H.	10 25
Ward, Fred	5 63
Warren, J. E. Agt.,	347 33
Warren, L. P.	79 60

Wescott, L. E.	2 75	
Wescott, Geo.	11 25	
Westbrook Hardware Co.,	6 45	
Westbrook Manf'g. Co.,	33 75	
Whitney, Carl	49 50	
Wheeler, John & Son,	52 60	
Wilkins, James	36 38	
Woodman, B. J.	2 10	
Woodbury Bros.,	9 50	
Walker, A. K.	19 50	
Woodbury, D. M.	3 50	
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DR.

SALARIES.

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CITY OFFICERS.

To Expenditures,	\$2,285 00	By Appropriation,	\$2,400 00
Bal. unexpended,	115 00		
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	\$2,400 00		\$2,400 00

EXPENDITURES.

Mayor, M. H. Webb,	\$ 400 00
Clerk, F. E. Webb,	175 00
Treasurer, A. F. Murch,	220 00
Auditor, G. H. Knowlton,	150 00
Solicitor, Wm. Lyons,	150 00
Street Commissioner, S. H. Skillings,	500 00
Marshal, F. B. Leighton,	100 00
Physician, J. L. Horr,	50 00

Overseers of Poor :

Jos. Knight,	\$50 00
I. D. Leighton,	50 00
J. P. Sawyer,	50 00
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	\$150 00

Board of Health :

H. K. Griggs,	\$125 00	
J. L. Horr, M. D.,	50 00	
H. T. Clark,	50 00	
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Engineers Fire Department :

C. H. Leighton, Chief,	\$40 00	
John Byrne, 1st Asst.,	30 00	
A. N. Waterhouse, 2nd Asst.,	20 00	
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Trustees Woodlawn Cemetery :

L. W. Edwards,	\$25 00	
W. W. Lamb,	25 00	
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Truant Officers :

W. V. Harmon,	\$5 00	
J. W. Bryant,	5 00	
C. A. Bailey,	5 00	
Edw. Doyle,	5 00	
L. A. Rowe,	5 00	
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		\$2,285 00

Dr.	COMMON SCHOOLS.	Cr.
To Expenditures,	By Appropriation, \$11,000 00	
Salaries, Teachers,	Rec'd from State, 5,548 72	
\$11,177 06	Rec'd for Books, 2 58	
Salaries, janitors, 1,264 50	Bal. overdrawn, 360 62	
Salary, Supt. 550 00		
Incidentals, 532 96		
Fuel, 1,177 75		
School Books, 889 52		
School house rep. 1,320 13		
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		\$16,911 92
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Mayor's Order, No. 106, amounting to \$3.34, unpaid.

EXPENDITURES.

SALARIES, TEACHERS.

Adams, Lizzie M.	36 weeks,	\$339 99
Bragdon, Edith	11 "	93 33
Brown, Julia A.	12 "	99 99
Conroy, Rosa A.	36 "	339 99
Doyle, Julia H.	36 "	339 99
Deering, E. M.	35 "	291 65
Davis, Thersa P.	26 "	253 84
Fellows, Alma V.	36 "	339 99
Files, Mrs. W. N.	36 "	324 00
Gowen, Addie P.	36 "	358 01
Griggs, Lizzie M.	36 "	358 01
Griggs, Winnifred	36 "	339 99
Hodsdon, Minnie I.	36 "	339 99
Hadlock, May S.	36 "	320 00
Hawkes, Hiram C.	22 "	310 00
Hardy, A. L.	12 "	99 99
Jones, Mitta V.	36 "	350 00
Jackson, Mrs. E. E.	12 "	108 00
Libby, Alice J.	24 "	240 00
McRae, Cora B.	36 "	348 00
Pennell, Jennie F.	36 "	424 98
Pennell, Lillian G.	36 "	339 99
Phinney, Jennie E.	24 "	240 00
Pratt, Carrie M.	36 "	289 99
Pride, Marguerite	11 "	91 66
Pottle, Georgia E.	12 "	120 00
Quinby, Addie M.	36 "	339 99
Roberts, Eva M.	36 "	339 99
Sinclair, B. E.	36 "	700 02
Shenault, Hattie L.	36 "	339 99
Shenault, Helen M.	36 "	339 99
Stackpole, Alice D.	28 "	250 01

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Small, M. J.	36 weeks,	350 00	
Wentworth, C. W.	36 "	700 02	
Webb, Eva A.	36 "	320 00	
Worthley, Mrs. May	9 "	91 66	
Winslow, Ethel M.	36 "	304 01	
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SALARIES, JANITORS.

Bryant, J. W.	40 weeks,	\$ 357 00	
Chandler, W. R.	24 "	186 00	
Crague, Chas.	12 "	72 00	
Gowen, F. W.	12 "	21 00	
Gordon, Lee	23 "	34 50	
Hannaway, David	36 "	108 00	
Jewett, Henry	12 "	12 00	
Libby, M. C.	36 "	36 00	
Lawrence, Percy	12 "	15 00	
Pratt, Carrie	27 "	27 00	
Rowe, L. A.	40 "	360 00	
Walker, Herbert	24 "	36 00	
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SALARY, SUPERINTENDENT.

Robbins, Fred E. C.	\$ 550 00	
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INCIDENTALS.

Bachelder, Isaac, labor,	\$ 1 00
Bebeau, Louis, "	3 00
Bennett, H. B., rubber stamps,	2 20
Boynton, H. T., supplies,	7 92
Boston Rubber Co., rubber mat,	3 50
Brooks, E. S., express,	2 60
Bryant, J. W., cleaning,	16 50
Chase, A. A., team for committee,	4 00
Chandler, Wm. R., cleaning,	5 62

Clark, J. A., supplies,	7 02
Cousins, E. M., supplies, postage,	8 76
Conant, J. W., repairing organ,	15 75
Cobb, J. A., cleaning,	8 75
Cobb, H. S., printing,	2 50
Crague, Chas., sawing wood,	3 00
Doyle, Edw., cleaning,	22 50
Driscoll, Mrs. C., cleaning,	42 37
Eastman, K., supplies,	3 34
Fortin, John, “	40 95
Girard, F. X., “	1 15
Gilbert, Mrs. Chas., cleaning,	4 38
Griggs, Harry K., labor,	9 00
Guptill, Lyman, supplies,	1 45
Hannaway, David, cleaning,	16 43
Lamontague, Delvina, “	5 00
Lamontague, Philamon, cleaning,	11 25
Laberge, Chas., painting,	3 04
Lawrence, C. W., cleaning,	1 50
Lebreque, John, labor,	2 00
L'Heureux, F. & Co., supplies,	2 49
Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies,	5 25
Mariner, Geo. F., thermometer,	30
McEnter, Martha, cleaning,	10 00
Melvin, A. A., printing,	3 50
Minnick, Wm., labor, flag pole,	2 00
Murch, G. Fred, registering scholars,	22 50
Parkhurst, Mrs. A. E., cleaning,	7 80
Pride, Walter, express,	8 25
Rice, C. M. Paper Co., supplies,	17 86
Rock, Geo., professional services,	24 00
Rowe, L. A., cleaning,	32 50
Robbins, F. E. C., supplies, etc.,	3 10
Snow, T. H., labor and supplies,	24 63
Southworth Bros., printing,	9 00
Springer, G. T., supplies,	17 29
Stevens & Jones Co., supplies,	25 25

Thayer, L. H., cleaning,	5 00	
True Bros., dusters,	3 20	
Watson, Marcus, rank cards,	5 00	
Ward, W. S., labor,	6 25	
Westbrook Hardware Co., supplies,	8 71	
Woodsome, Louise, cleaning,	3 37	
Wheeler, John & Son, supplies,	21 29	
Winslow & Brown, supplies,	3 13	
Woodman, C. B.	4 81	
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FUEL.

Gowen, James	\$ 32 00	
Pride, B. G.	1,065 11	
Wheeler, John & Son,	80 64	
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DR.	SCHOOL BOOKS.	CR.
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To Expenditures, \$889 52 | By Bal. to Com. Sch's, \$889 52

Mayor's Order, No. 44, amounting to \$26.45, unpaid.

EXPENDITURES.

American Book Co.,	\$142 15
Boston School Supply Co.,	414 89
Brown, John, Agt.,	26 45
Educational Publishing Co.,	13 50
Engelhard, G. P. & Co.,	90
Ginn & Co.,	92 13
Griggs, S. C. & Co.,	3 20
Harper & Bro.,	2 38
Heath, D. C. & Co.,	39 22
Houghton, Mifflin & Co.,	59 62
Holt, Henry & Co.,	9 19
Kurzenknabe, J. H. & Son,	11 25

Loring, Short & Harmon,	75	
Parkhurst, Arthur	3	75
Prang Educational Co.,	23	04
Pride, W. D.	1	15
Stevens & Jones Co.,	40	70
Thompson, Brown & Co.	5	25
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DR. SCHOOL HOUSE REPAIRS. Cr.

To Expenditures, \$1,320 13 | By Bal. to Com. Sch's, \$1,320 13

Mayor's Orders, Nos. 30, 49 and 53, amounting to \$15.72, unpaid.

EXPENDITURES.

Babb, W. P.	\$5	00
Cayor, Jas.	5	63
Edwards, L. W.	17	50
Files, P. W.	5	00
Gallant, Anthony	85	18
Knight J. C.,	23	73
Knight, Jos.		65
Laberge, Chas.	162	28
London, C. L.	1	85
McKenney & Martin,	25	54
McNair, Wm.	63	90
Nelson Tenney & Co.,	343	50
Pride, W. D.	8	47
Robinson, R. S.	171	77
Snow, T. H.	68	20
Spear, W. W.	142	11
Tupper, W. W. & Co.,	19	36
Warren, J. E., Agt.	86	09
Westbrook Hardware Co.,	7	40
Wescott, L. E.	2	00
Wheeler, John & Son,	67	84
Wood, John	7	13
	<hr/>	\$1,320 13

DR.	HIGH SCHOOL.	CR.
To Expenditures,		By Appropriation, \$3,000 00
Salaries teachers, \$2,511 63		Rec'd from State, 500 00
" Janitors, 356 00		Goods returned, 2 00
Incidentals, 103 64		
Fuel, 222 67		
Bal. unexpended, 308 06		
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	\$3,502 00	\$3,502 00

EXPENDITURES.

SALARIES, TEACHERS.

Dudley, Maud H.	36 weeks,	\$ 399 96	
Littlefield, Annie E.	10½ "	105 00	
Parker, R. A.	12 "	366 66	
Pottle, Georgia E.	24 "	240 00	
Small, M. H.	24 "	816 67	
Winslow, Ellen A.	36 "	583 34	
		<hr/>	\$2,511 63

SALARY, JANITOR.

Doyle, Edward	40 weeks,	\$ 356 00	
		<hr/>	\$356 00

INCIDENTALS.

Cousins, E. M. travelling,	\$ 8 90	
Fortin, John, supplies,	10 00	
Ginn & Co., "	3 19	
Hay, H. H. & Son, supplies,	5 31	
O'Brion, Patrick, cleaning,	33 00	
Parker, R. A., supplies,	3 28	
Rice, C. M. & Co., supplies,	2 50	
Raymond, G. H., grates,	17 68	
Scates & Co.,	4 32	
Southworth Bros., printing,	4 44	
Winslow, Ellen A., supplies,	9 02	
Whipple, W. W. & Co.,	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$103 64

FUEL.

Pride, B. G.	\$ 156 42	
Wheeler, John & Son,	66 25	
	<hr/>	\$222 67

DR.	SIDEWALKS.	CR.
To Expenditures, \$2,402 89	By Appropriations, \$3,500 00	
Bal. unexpended, 1,116 76	Receipts, 19 65	
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	\$3,519 65	\$3,519 65
Labor Farm Team, \$222 56		

Mayor's Order, No. 84, amounting to \$3 08, unpaid.

EXPENDITURES.

Anderson, Chas.	\$ 50 51
Allen, Wm.	7 00
Babb, Smith	5 50
Bailey, F. A.	16 87
Bishop, Harvey	3 50
Boucher, C.	796 14
Barney, Louis	9 00
Conant, Daniel	6 13
Day, A.	19 12
Eastman, Kimball	3 08
Fagan, Patrick	16 50
Graffam, Benj.	21 25
Hawkes, A. L.	43 20
Harley, Chas.	42 00
Haskell, Solomon	13 50
Jackson, Z.	1 50
Knight, J. C.	32 97
Knight, Mark	9 37
Knight, S. B.	35 52
Lamb, W. W.	21 55

Leighton, F. B.	16 77	
Libby, Angier	67 13	
Libby, Peter	12 00	
Lucas, Wm.	60 80	
Laundry, N.	9 00	
Marcoux, Peter	659 39	
McCavitt, Dennis	60 00	
McDonald, Howard	2 25	
Pride, J. H. & W. H.	84 00	
Pride, Walter	75	
Rousseau, Amati	7 50	
Pratt, Anthony	24 00	
Pratt, Henry	6 75	
Sawyer, John P.	3 75	
Skillings, S. H.,	119 80	
Stowe, John	24 75	
Stone, Levi	2 63	
St. Lewis, A.	12 00	
Warren, L. P.	11 37	
Ward,	2 63	
Wallace, M.	6 75	
Westbrook Hardware Co.,	9 04	
Wheeler, John & Son,	17 87	
Whitney, Carl	22 50	
Wilkins, Jas.	5 25	
	<hr/>	\$2,402 89

RECEIPTS.

Knight, J. C.	11 17	
Neal, W. H.	8 48	
	<hr/>	\$19 65

DR. SNOW AND SPRING REPAIRS. CR.

To Expenditures, \$519 49 | By Roads & Bridges, \$519 49

Mayor's Orders Nos. 5, 11, 12, 15, 16, 19, 23, 24, 25, 26, 29, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, amounting to \$312.55, unpaid.

EXPENDITURES.

Allen, Rodman	\$ 4 35
Anderson, Chas. A.	20 96
Bailey, S.	3 75
Babb, W. P.	3 00
Babb, W. F.	10 00
Babb, I. G.	8 75
Babbage, Wm.	1 80
Barbour, Geo.	2 25
Beatty, John	18 00
Bishop, H. J.	9 63
Boucher, C.	3 00
Boyd, Arch.	7 20
Brackett, E. J.	29 35
Connell, Sam'l.	75
Conte, T.	1 50
Cobb, Geo. M.	10 50
Conant, Dan'l.	8 75
Danis, Albert	4 20
DeCormier, Jas.	2 25
Deshand, John	75
Drisho, P.	94
Gagnon, John	2 25
Gagnon, G.	1 50
Gallant, Antoine	3 75
Gallant, Amos	1 50
Gibbans, Dan'l.	18 00
Gowen, N. W.	3 70
Gowen, Levi	9 30
Gordon, John	7 95
Gordon, Howard	1 80
Grant, F. H.	10 65
Gilbert, Chas.	1 50
Harvey, Geo.	1 50
Harmond, A.	1 05
Hawkes, Thos.	24 20
Hawkes, N. L.	5 25

Hadlock, Geo.	3 00
Jameson, Geo.	75
Kinmond, Ernest	6 75
Knight, Lorenzo	5 00
Larrabee, Geo.	15 75
Lawrence, C. W.	2 25
Leighton, F. B.	28 20
Libby, Peter	1 13
Libby, Alonzo	7 00
Lowell, Mrs. D.	9 25
Lowell, Edw.	1 50
Lord, Chas.	3 00
McCamb, Thos.	6 30
Merrill, Fred	3 75
Morrill, Horace	2 25
Murphey, S.	1 50
Obey, Geo.	75
Partridge, Edw.	1 05
Pendu, Frank	4 50
Peters, John	1 50
Pike, Geo. C.	8 25
Powers, Robt.	6 00
Portland Wooden Ware Co.,	1 75
Pride, Geo.	3 15
Pride, Alpheus	1 50
Pride, W. H.	3 15
Pratt, Henry	3 75
Pratt, Antoine	2 25
Rivers, Jas.	2 25
Rackliff, Geo.	75
Sawyer, Wm.	2 25
Sawyer, J. R.	2 25
Sholes, Philip	1 05
Shehan, C. C.	7 13
Skillings, S. H.	57 75
Taggart, Dan'l.	3 00
Thomas, C. O.	11 55

Thayer, E. F.	6 75	
Vachon, Thos.	5 25	
Van, John	38	
Warren, L. P.	13 75	
Wilkins, James	2 62	
Walker, E. S.	8 45	
Walker, A. K.	11 50	
Wood, Jas.	2 25	
	<hr/>	\$519 49

DR.		STREET LIGHTS.		CR.
To Expenditures,	\$2,950 05	By Appropriation,	\$3,000 00	
Bal. unexpended,	49 95			
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	\$3,000 00		\$3,000 00	

EXPENDITURES.

Westbrook Electric Light Co., \$2,950 05

DR.		SUPPORT OF POOR.		CR.
To Expenditures,	\$2,656 55	By Appropriation,	\$3,000 00	
Bal. unexpended,	403 45	Receipts,	60 00	
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	\$3,060 00		\$3,060 00	

Mayor's Orders, Nos. 19, 138, 141, 142, 156, 158, 159, amounting to \$136.58, unpaid.

EXPENDITURES.

Adams & Crague,	40 62
Adams, Mrs. Sarah	50 00
Allen, Jos.	138 65
Andrews, J. R.	65 00

Barbour, Jas.	352 05
Bettes, Mrs. F. A.	88 00
Berwick, Town of	45 11
Brown, John	1 05
Christian, Hosanna	30 00
Charland, Frances	12 00
Cloudman, John	84 00
Crague, Wm.	45 52
Deering, City of	5 25
DeCormier, Frank	31 00
Durshan, Frank	12 00
Dodge, T. L., Agt.,	107 91
Dunn, J. K. & Co.	162 20
Eastman, Kimball,	16 00
Elwell, Hezekiah	102 62
Fellows, J. T.	60 20
Forrest, A., M. D.	15 00
Garland, Mrs. F. E.	10 50
Girard, F. X.	80 35
Guptill, Lyman,	20 39
Harvey, Mrs.	16 00
Hebert & Huard,	7 96
Hodsdon & Schwartz,	89 50
Johnson, E. G.	36 00
Knights, Bertha	2 00
Knights, Jos.	8 00
Laberge, Chas.	12 25
LeBell, Ernest	8 98
Leighton, F. B.	2 50
Lafond & Co.	9 25
Leighton, Royal	34 00
L'Heureux, F. & Co.	176 20
Libby, Angier	3 00
Maine Insane Hospital,	202 64
Mayberry, M. A.	39 50
Mason, A. H.	16 50
New England Furniture Co.	3 50

Pride, B. G.	31 50
Quinby, I. F.	52 40
Rowe, A. S.	3 60
Sawyer, J. P.	8 65
Scates & Co.	27 35
Spear, J. F.	59 00
Turgeon, Peter	47 23
Van John,	16 00
Waterhouse, A. N.	51 73
Waterhouse, C. M.	6 50
Ward, V. D.	13 40
Wheeler, John & Son	29 06
Winslow & Brown,	26 03
Woodman, C. B.	42 90
	<hr/> \$2,656 55

The expenditures for Support of Poor have been distributed among the following persons, or their representatives :

Bebeau, Louis	\$ 16 81
Bettes, William	88 00
Bradley, Chas. E.	45 11
Beasley family,	23 39
Charon, Julia	204 60
Cummins, Mrs.	10 21
Charon, Jos.	102 75
Emmond, H.	3 13
Fournier, Mrs. Felix	127 89
Fields, Amos	16 28
Gibbons, Dan'l	15 90
Greenough family,	16 50
Gagnon, Mrs.	3 50
Hanson, F. P.	16 00
Harvey, Chas.	16 00
Hemond, Ens,	19 51
Harrison, Mrs.	17 00
Jameson, Willis	352 05

Kennard, Esther	103 78	
Labountey, John	154 04	
Lombard family,	30 00	
Lemereque, Mrs. D. A.	6 80	
Lefever, Edw.	52 98	
Laundry, Jas.	7 25	
Miscellaneous,	184 39	
Merrill, Mrs.	109 25	
Mason, Jas.	12 25	
Paillu family,	142 22	
Pomerlean, N.	63 18	
Payer, A.	16 47	
Richards, Phœbe	16 25	
Rice, Chas.	51 73	
St. Peters,	58 42	
Sawyer, Millard D.	114 75	
Stanley, Amasa	75 08	
Sawyer, John H.	102 62	
Wheeler, Geo. D.	22 05	
Wallace, Russell	60 50	
Wallace, Mrs. John	79 05	
Webber, Annie,	98 86	
	<hr/>	\$2,656 55

RECEIPTS.

Woodbury, A. D.	\$60 00	
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DR.	STATE PENSIONS.	CR.
To Expenditures,	\$288 00 By State of Maine,	\$288 00

EXPENDITURES.

Hurd, Adelaide	\$72 00	
Noyes, Helen	72 00	
Rand, Lucy A.	72 00	
Strout, Mary B.	72 00	
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DR.	TAXES, STATE.	CR.
To State of Maine,	\$8,967 39 By Appropriation,	\$8,967 39

DR.	TAXES, COUNTY.	CR.
To County Cumb.	\$3,087 42 By Appropriation,	\$3,087 42

Dr.	TAX DEEDS.		Cr.
To Balance,	\$1,294 25	By Receipts,	\$984 75
N. A. Swett, '90,	680 00	Abatements,	40 49
		Balance,	949 01
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	\$1,974 25		\$1,974 25

RECEIPTS.

Brigham, J. D.	\$165 00
Bailey, Helen Est.	55 00
Clark, W. F.	9 30
Delcourt, Matilda	45 00
Dearborn, Mary	10 50
Giles, F. C.	59 42
Hall, C. W.	4 60
Hodsdon, A. J.	16 00
Horr, Lydia L.	106 17
Kerr, Wm.	50 70
Knight, J. C.	100 00
Lowell, E. H.	44 00
Laborque, Edw.	14 30
Merrill, E. S.	143 00
Moses, John	5 95
Mathews, Mary	13 00

O'Niel, Michael	17 81	
Pride, Jas. H.	37 50	
Secard, Throtte	19 00	
Sawyer, M. D.	28 50	
Wiley, Susan M.	40 00	
	<hr/>	\$984 75

DR.	WATER CONTRACT.		CR.
To Expenditures,	\$2,500 00	By Appropriation,	\$2,500 00
Portland Water Co.,	\$2,500 00		
	<u> </u>		\$2,500 00

DR.		WOODLAWN CEMETERY.		CR.	
To Expenditures,	\$593 72	By Appropriation,	\$500 00		
Bal. unexpended,	929 99	Receipts,	1,023 71		
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	\$1,523 71				\$1,523 71

EXPENDITURES.

Bishop, F.	\$ 1 50
Blake, Lewis	8 25
Bura, R.	4 50
Edwards, L. W.	1 65
Eastman, K.	4 55
Hayes, John	2 05
Hunter, F.	1 50
Kendall & Whitney,	13 84
Lamb, W. W.	30 00
Lamb, M.	21 00
Legrow Bros.,	10 00
Lowell,	15 00
McFarland, King	12 00
McFarland, H.	1 50

Porter, C. N.	45 00	
Raymond, G. H.	117 93	
Spear, W. W.	14 70	
Smith, John G.	12 00	
Taggart, D.	213 00	
Webber, Benj.	50 25	
Wilkins, Geo.	13 50	
	<hr/>	\$593 72

RECEIPTS.

Bailey, Byron	\$50 00
Boyde, W. & J.	20 00
Foss, A. & L.	45 00
Foster, Geo. C.	18 00
Forrest, James	30 00
Griffin, Chas. E.	32 50
Goff, E.	25 00
Hobson, E.	50 00
Hussey, Mrs. E. A.	32 50
Hilton, Mrs. Marguerite	25 00
Hawkes, Mary W.	55 00
Hawkes, N. L.	55 00
Hunt, W. L.	32 50
Jess, John	11 00
Johnston, C.	24 00
Johnson, Joshua	28 00
Kelson, C. H.	29 00
Kirkwood, Richard	6 00
Libby, E. H.	18 00
Madson, M. C.	22 50
McAloney, J. E. & W. H. Morse,	30 00
Minnick, Wm. & John	45 00
Madson, Chas.	20 00
McDonald, E. S.	15 21
O'Brien, Annie	25 00
Plummer, Lottie F.	65 00
Peterson, Hans	12 00
Robinson, W. C. B.	20 00

Steves, Thos. A.	10 00	
Stevens, W. S.	65 00	
Starbird, S. F. & Seal, A. S.	32 50	
Taggart, D.	25 00	
Weeks, Joseph	20 00	
Whitehouse Bros.,	30 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,023 71

DR.		JOHN BROWN, (Coll. 1881.)		CR.	
To Bal. Mar. 1, '92,	\$1,972 12	By Amt. Coll.,		\$ 43 00	
		Balance,		1,929 12	
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	\$1,972 12			\$1,972 12	

DR.	C. E. QUINBY, (Coll. 1884-5.)		CR.
To Bal., Mar. 1, '92,	\$670 64	By Balance,	\$670 64

DR.	C. E. QUINBY, (Coll. 1886.)	CR.	
To Bal., Mar. 1, '92,	\$4,048 43	By Balance,	\$4,048 43

Dr.		E. B. PHINNEY, (Coll. 1887.)		Cr.	
To Bal. Mar. 1, '92,		\$505 88	By Amt. Coll.,		\$ 35 00
			Balance,		470 88
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		\$505 88			\$505 88

DR.	E. B. PHINNEY, (Coll. 1888.)		CR.
To Bal. Mar. 1, '92,	\$3,192 58	By Amt. Coll.	\$105 20
		Balance,	3,087 38
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	\$3,192 58		\$3,192 58

DR.		N. A. SWETT, (Coll. 1889.)		CR.
To Bal. Mar. 1, '92,	\$2,080 83	By Amt. Coll.,	\$ 597 67	
		Balance,	1,483 16	
	<u>\$2,080 83</u>		<u>\$2,080 83</u>	

DR.		N. A. SWETT, (Coll. 1890.)		CR.
To Bal. Mar. 1, '92,	\$10,803 73	By Amt. Coll.,	\$5,002 40	
		Tax Deeds,	680 00	
		Balance,	5,121 33	
	<u>\$10,803 73</u>		<u>\$10,803 73</u>	

DR.		N. A. SWETT, (Coll. 1892.)		CR.
To Amt. Com.,	\$69,075 64	By Amt. Coll.,	\$53,113 93	
		Balance,	15,961 71	
	<u>\$69,075 64</u>		<u>\$69,075 64</u>	

DR.		G. FRED MURCH, (Coll. 1891.)		CR.
To Bal. Mar. 1, '92,	\$14,566 84	By Amt. Coll.,	\$6,572 40	
		Balance,	7,994 44	
	<u>\$14,566 84</u>		<u>\$14,566 84</u>	

SUMMARY OF
RECEIPTS, EXPENDITURES & APPROPRIATIONS
FOR YEAR 1892.

Departments.	Receipts,	Expendi's	Approp.'s
Abatements and Commissions.		\$2,659 85	\$2,500 00
Alms House and Farm,	\$ 526 48	2,510 50	2,000 00
Bonds,	22,000 00	5,500 00	1,000 00
City Note,	16,000 00	38,500 00	
Chapman Farm,	35 00	47 30	
Discount on Taxes,		1,955 93	1,400 00
Drains and Sewers,	184 68	2,886 52	3,000 00
Fire Department,		793 29	1,000 00
Health Department,		318 73	400 00
Incidentals,	93 75	2,834 83	3,094 83
Interest,	489 01	4,962 37	5,000 00
Memorial Day,		75 00	75 00
Newcomb Lot,		600 00	600 00
Police,		2,176 84	2,000 00
Roads and Bridges,		4,259 42	6,000 00
Salaries, City Officers,		2,285 00	2,400 00
Schools, Common,	5,551 30	16,911 92	11,000 00
School, High,	502 00	3,193 94	3,000 00
Sidewalks,	19 65	2,402 89	3,500 00
Snow and Spring Repairs,		519 49	
Street Lights,		2,950 05	3,000 00
State Pensions,	288 00	288 00	
Support of Poor,	60 00	2,656 55	3,000 00
Taxes, County,		3,087 42	3,087 42
Taxes, State,		8,967 39	8,967 39
Water Contract,		2,500 00	2,500 00
Woodlawn Cemetery	1,023 71	593 72	500 00
John Brown, Coll., 1881,	43 00		
E. B. Phinney, Coll., 1887,	35 00		
“ “ “ 1888,	105 20		
N. A. Swett, Coll., 1889,	597 67		
“ “ 1890,	5,002 40		
“ “ 1892,	53,113 93		
G. F. Murch, Coll., 1891,	6,572 40		
Old Liabilities,		910 67	
Tax Deeds,	1,025 24		
Unpaid Mayor's Orders of '91,		429 99	
Cash on hand March 1, '92,	3,486 20		
	<u>\$116,754 62</u>	<u>\$117,777 61</u>	<u>\$69,024 64</u>
Less unpaid Mayor's Orders,		1,434 67	
		<u>\$116,342 94</u>	
Cash on hand March 1, '93,		411 68	
	<u>\$116,754 62</u>	<u>\$116,754 62</u>	<u>\$69,024 64</u>

DR.	BALANCES.	CR.
Overdrawn,		Unexpended,
To Abatements, \$ 159 85		By Alms House and
Discount on taxes, 555 93		Farm, \$ 3 68
Police, 176 84		Appropriations, 51 00
Schools, Common, 360 62		Drains and Sewers, 298 16
Bal. to City Debt, 4,412 27		Fire Department, 206 71
		Health Departm't, 81 27
		Interest, 526 64
		Incidentals, 353 75
		Roads & Bridges, 1,221 09
		Salaries, 115 00
		School, High, 308 06
		Sidewalks, 1,116 76
		Street Lights, 49 95
		Support of Poor, 403 45
		Woodlawn Cem'y, 929 99
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	\$5,665 51	\$5,665 51

DR.	CITY DEBT.	CR.
To Bal. Mar. 1, '92, \$73,102 30		By Appropriation, \$ 1,000 00
Old Liabilities, 910 67		Balance above, 4,412 27
		Bal., Net Debt, 68,600 70
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	\$74,012 97	\$74,012 97

DR. BALANCE SHEET. CR.

Availabilities,		Liabilities,	
To Old Avail'bilit's,	\$766 78	By Bonds,	\$98,000 00
Tax deeds,	949 01	City Notes,	12,000 00
John Brown, Col.		Unpaid Mayor's	
'81,	1,929 12	Orders,	1,495 26
C. E. Quinby, Col.			
'84-5,	670 64		
C. E. Quinby, Col.			
'86,	4,048 43		
E. B. Phinney,			
Col. '87,	470 88		
E. B. Phinney,			
Col. '88,	3,087 38		
N. A. Swett, Col.			
'89,	1,483 16		
N. A. Swett, Col.			
'90,	5,121 33		
N. A. Swett, Col.			
'92,	15,961 71		
G. F. Murch, Col.			
'91,	7,994 44		
A. F. Murch,			
Treas,	411 68		
City Debt, Net,	68,600 70		
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	\$111,495 26		\$111,495 26

Statement of Bonded Indebtedness of the City of Westbrook.

Date Due.	3¼ Per cent.	4 Per cent.	Total.
Mar. 22, 1893,		\$ 3,000 00	
Aug. 10, 1893,		500 00	
Aug. 17, 1893,		3,000 00	\$ 6,500 00
Jan. 1, 1894,		1,100 00	
May 21, 1894,		3,000 00	4,100 00
Jan. 10, 1895,		800 00	
Sept. 1, 1895,		3,000 00	3,800 00
May 3, 1896,	\$ 6,000 00		
Sept. 1, 1896,		3,500 00	
Nov. 26, 1896,		800 00	10,300 00
Jan. 1, 1897,		2,500 00	
Jan. 8, 1897,		1,000 00	
June 21, 1897,	2,000 00		
Sept. 1, 1897,		3,500 00	9,000 00
Apr. 19, 1898,		5,000 00	
Apr. 23, 1898,		15,000 00	
May 21, 1898,		4,000 00	
May 2, 1898,		500 00	
Dec. 28, 1898,		1,500 00	26,000 00
June 21, 1899,	2,000 00		
Dec. 28, 1899,		2,500 00	4,500 00
Jan. 1, 1900,		500 00	
June 21, 1900,	4,000 00		
Nov. 1, 1900,		800 00	
Dec. 30, 1900,		2,500 00	7,800 00
Feb. 21, 1902,		2,000 00	
Aug. 1, 1902,		2,000 00	4,000 00
Sept. 3, 1903,		2,000 00	2,000 00
April 1907,		20,000 00	20,000 00
Total,	\$14,000 00	\$84,000 00	\$98,000 00

Statement of Outstanding Notes of the City
of Westbrook.

Date.		4 Per cent.
May 15, 1891,	10 years,	\$ 10,000 00
June 25, 1891,	8 "	500 00
June 25, 1891.	8 "	1,000 00
July 3, 1891,	8 "	500 00
Total,		<hr/> \$12,000 00

Schedule of Property Belonging to the City,
March 1, 1893.

ALMS HOUSE AND FARM.

Land and buildings,	\$7,500 00	
Personal property, supplies, etc.,	2,600 00	
Pest house,	300 00	
	<hr/>	\$10,400 00

CHAPMAN FARM.	\$3,350 00
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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Hose house at Saccarappa,	\$3,475 00	
" " Cumberland Mills,	2,150 00	
Equipments, supplies, etc.,	2,500 00	
	<hr/>	\$8,125 00

INCIDENTALS.

Office and council furniture,	\$300 00	
Land at Pride's Corner,	30 00	
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STREET DEPARTMENT.

Crusher and engine,	\$800 00	
Road machines,	100 00	
Supplies, tools, etc.,	150 00	
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SCHOOL PROPERTY.

1 school, building, Ward 1,	\$ 5,000 00	
4 " " 2,	35,000 00	
1 " " 3,	4,000 00	
3 " " 4,	23,000 00	
3 " " 5,	7,000 00	
Newcomb lot, Ward 1,	600 00	
	<hr/>	\$74,600 00

Total,	<hr/> \$97,855 00
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Treasurer's Report.

TREASURER'S OFFICE, }
WESTBROOK, ME., MAR. 18, '93. }

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council of Westbrook.

Gentlemen:—I have the honor to submit herewith my account as Treasurer of the City of Westbrook for the municipal year ending Mar. 11, 1893.

Respectfully,

A. F. MURCH, *Treasurer.*

DR. CITY OF WESTBROOK IN ACCOUNT WITH

To cash paid Mayor's orders and charged to the following accounts:

Abatements,	\$1,653 67	
Commissions.	1,006 18	
	<hr/>	\$2,659 85
Alms House and Farm.		2,485 85
Bonds,		5,500 00
City Notes,		38,500 00
Chapman Farm,		47 30
Discount on Taxes,		1,955 93
Drains and Sewers,		2,860 10
Unpaid Mayor's Orders, 1891.		429 99
Fire Department,		701 39
Health Department,		318 73
Incidentals,		2,466 66
Interest.		4,962 37
Memorial Day,		75 00
Police,		2,171 84
Roads and Bridges,		3,934 06
Salaries, City Officers,		2,235 00
Common Schools,		16,866 41
High School,		3,193 94
Sidewalks,		2,399 81
Snow and Spring Repairs,		205 44
Street Lights,		2,950 05
State Pensions,		288 00
Support of Poor.		2,519 97
Taxes, County,		3,087 42
Taxes, State,		8,967 39
Water Contract,		2,500 00
Woodlawn Cemetery,		593 72
Old Liabilities,		866 72
Newcomb-Lot.		600 00
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		\$116,342 94
To Cash on hand March 11, 1893,		411 68
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		\$116,754 62

The total interest paid for the year was	\$4,962 37
Amount paid on account of the Bonded Debt,	\$3,648 00
Amount paid on long time Notes,	480 00
Amount paid on Temporary Loan Notes,	834 37
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	\$4,962 37

A. F. MURCH, TREASURER.

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By cash received and credited to the following accounts:—

Balance on hand March 12, 1892,		\$3,486 20
Alms House and Farm,	\$526 48	
Bonds,	22,000 00	
City Notes,	16,000 00	
Chapman Farm,	35 00	
Drains and Sewers,	184 68	
Incidentals,	93 75	
Interest on Taxes,	384 57	
Interest on Bonds,	104 44	
Schools, Common,	\$5,548 72	
School Books,	2 58	
	<hr/>	5,551 30
Schools, High,	\$500 00	
School Books,	2 00	
	<hr/>	502 00
Sidewalks,	19 65	
Support of Poor,	60 00	
State Pensions,	288 00	
Tax Deeds,	1,025 24	
John Brown,	43 00	
E. B. Phinney, 1887,	35 00	
E. B. Phinney, 1888,	105 20	
N. A. Swett, 1889,	597 67	
N. A. Swett, 1890	5,002 40	
N. A. Swett, 1892,	53,113 93	
G. Fred Murch, 1891,	6,572 40	
Woodlawn Cemetery,	1,023 71	
	<hr/>	\$113,268 42
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		\$116,754 62

A. F. MURCH, *Treasurer.*

WESTBROOK, MAINE, March 18, 1893.

Report of Committee on Accounts.

To the President and Members of the City Council:—

The Committee on Accounts would report that they have attended to their duty, in as much as they have examined the books and accounts of the Auditor and Treasurer each month and have found accounts correctly cast, and vouchers for all entries on said books.

A. K. WALKER, } Committee
A. B. WINSLOW, } on
V. D. WARD, } Accounts.

R E P O R T

OF THE

COLLECTOR OF TAXES

FOR THE

YEARS 1889, 1890 and 1892,

NATHANIEL A. SWETT IN ACCOUNT WITH

1889	Dr.	
To Balance from last report,		\$2,080 83
Interest on taxes collected,		37 57
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		\$2,118 40

NATHANIEL A. SWETT IN ACCOUNT WITH

1890	Dr.	
To Balance from last report,		\$10,803 73
Interest on taxes collected,		194 74
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		\$10,998 47

NATHANIEL A. SWETT IN ACCOUNT WITH

1892	Dr.	
To Amount committed,		\$69,024 64
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		\$69,024 64

TOWN OF WESTBROOK.

1889	CR.	
By Cash, Vouchers Nos., 122, 123, 128, 130,	\$ 597 34	
Commission on Polls, \$315.00, at 10 per cent.,	31 50	
“ “ Prop., \$282.67, at 2 per cent.	5 65	
“ “ Int., \$37.57, at 2 per cent.,	75	
Uncollected Taxes, \$1,483.16.	1,483 16	
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	\$2,118 40	

TOWN OF WESTBROOK.

1890	CR.	
By Cash, Vouchers Nos., 120, 121, 124, 125,		
127, 129,	\$4,630 52	
Commission, Polls, \$804.00, at 10 per cent.,	80 40	
“ Prop., \$3,791.90, at 2 per cent.,	75 83	
“ Int., \$194.74, at 2 per cent.,	3 89	
Abatements, \$406.50,	406 50	
Tax Deeds, \$599.00,	599 00	
Uncollected Taxes, \$5,202.33	5,202 33	
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	\$10,998 47	
Note Costs on Tax Deeds, \$81.00, due N. A. Swett.		

CITY OF WESTBROOK.

1892	CR.	
By Cash, Per Vouchers,	\$49,805 07	
Commission on \$40,000.00 at 1 per cent.	400 00	
“ “ \$10,000.00 at 1½ per cent.,	150 00	
“ “ \$534.74 at 2 per cent.,	10 69	
“ “ Polls, \$1,881.00, at 5 per cent.,	94 05	
Discounts on Taxes,	1,955 93	
Abatements,	699 84	
Uncollected Taxes,	15,909 06	
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	\$69,024 64	

CITY SOLICITOR'S REPORT.

WESTBROOK, ME., March 6, 1893.

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council:

I have the honor to submit herewith a brief report of the legal affairs of the city during the closing year.

The most important case that the city has been a party to is that entitled Edna J. Bryant vs. Inhabitants of Westbrook.

This suit was commenced on the twenty-eighth day of May, 1892, and was brought to recover twenty-five hundred dollars damages to her house and cellar, alleged by her to have been caused by a defective cesspool erected by the municipal officers in the fall of 1889, on the Southerly side of Pennell street, and connected with her private drain, and in neglecting to keep the same in good repair and condition from said date to August, 1891, and that by reason of such defective cesspool and neglect of care the water and offal from the street flowed into her cellar.

The case was tried in November, 1892, in the Superior Court and a verdict of one thousand, sixteen dollars and sixty-six cents was returned by the jury in favor of the plaintiff.

This verdict, your Honorable Body, as well as myself, regarded as exorbitant, and consequently a motion to set aside the verdict and grant a new trial, was filed, alleging the following reasons:

1. Because it is against law and the charge of the justice.
2. Because it is against evidence.
3. Because it is manifestly against the weight of evidence in the case.

4. Because the damages are excessive; and a result favorable to the city is expected.

Another suit brought against the city, January twelfth, 1893, by Mr. James O. Bryant, husband of the plaintiff in the above suit, wherein he seeks to recover two thousand dollars for injury to the health of himself and family, alleging substantially the same causes as alleged by Mrs. Bryant, except that the injury sustained was personal and not to real estate, is returnable to the Superior Court on the first Tuesday of the present month, and as I have not made an investigation of its merits, I have no opinion to give on it in this report.

The third and last suit in which the city has been impleaded in during the year is that of Daniel Cressey, commenced October twenty-eighth, 1892, and entered in the Superior Court at the December term.

This action is brought to recover one thousand dollars damages to four horses and a barge of the plaintiff, alleged by him to have been caused by a defect in Austin street, by reason of which the barge was overturned and badly broken and the horses wrenched and strained.

In all probability this suit can be settled, without trial, in a manner that will be satisfactory to both parties.

A couple of small demands made by W. S. Graffam and Hugh Gilmore, to both of which the city denied responsibility, have been settled for small sums.

I have been called upon during the year to give opinions on various questions that are not of importance enough to require a detailed notice here.

As the Cressey suit is the only one that the cause of action accrued in during the year, I feel disposed to congratulate the municipal officers on the able and successful manner in which they have handled the city's affairs.

I have the honor to be

Very respectfully yours,

WILLIAM LYONS,

City Solicitor.

REPORT OF

Trustees of Woodlawn Cemetery.

WESTBROOK, Feb. 25, 1893.

To the City Council of Westbrook:—

The Trustees of Woodlawn Cemetery respectfully submit the following report.

Twenty-five lots have been taken since the municipal year amounting to nine hundred sixty-three dollars. Thirty lots have been partially made and twelve lots have been fully made, ready for occupancy.

Four hundred feet of fence of the best material, to replace the old fence, has been placed along the Rochester street front.

The increasing interest in Woodlawn Cemetery is evidenced by the increasing number of visitors the past year, and it is with a feeling of satisfaction that we are able to mention the fact that strangers visiting our city comment favorably not only upon the general condition of the cemetery, but upon the large number of floral testimonials which have been placed upon the lots the past season. We trust that the beautiful custom may be continued with increased interest.

The matter of perpetual care by the city, on payment of a specified amount, as done by other cities in the management of their cemeteries, should be commenced the present year.

There remains due to the city on several lots, unpaid balances which should be settled immediately. We call the attention of such to Section 6 of the by-laws, which may be had of the trustees.

L. W. EDWARDS, } *Trustees of*
W. W. LAMB, } *Woodlawn Cemetery.*

Assessors' Report

OF THE

CITY OF WESTBROOK

FOR THE

YEAR 1892.

ASSESSORS' REPORT.

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council of Westbrook:

In accordance with the provisions of section 95, Chapter 6, of the Revised Statutes of Maine, we beg leave to submit the following report.

As required by Sections 97, 98 and 99 of the Revised Statutes, we made an assessment upon the polls and estates of the resident proprietors and upon the estates of the non-resident proprietors of the City of Westbrook, in the sum of sixty-nine thousand, twenty-four dollars and sixty-four cents (\$69,024.64), and later a supplementary assessment of fifty-one dollars (51.00), the same being the amount required to meet the State and County taxes and the appropriations made by your honorable body for municipal purposes, viz :

State tax,	\$ 8,967 39
County tax,	3,087 42
Abatements and commissions,	2,500 00
Alms House and Farm,	2,000 00
Discount on Taxes,	1,400 00
Drains and Sewers,	3,000 00
Fire Department,	500 00
Health Department,	400 00
Incidentals,	2,000 00
Interest,	5,000 00
Memorial Day,	75 00
Police Department,	2,000 00
Roads and Bridges,	6,000 00

Salaries of City Officers,	2,400 00	
Schools, Common	11,000 00	
Schools, High	3,000 00	
Street Lights,	3,000 00	
Support of Poor,	3,000 00	
Water Contract,	2,500 00	
Woodlawn Cemetery,	500 00	
Sidewalks,	1,500 00	
City Debt,	1,000 00	
Contingent,	1,170 19	
	<hr/>	\$66,000 00
Overlayings allowed by law,		3,024 64
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		\$69,024 64
Supplementary Tax,		51 00
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Total tax,		\$69,075 64

Total valuation of Real Estate,	\$2,140,262 00
Total valuation of Personal Property,	1,019,320 44
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Total valuation,	\$3,159,582 44

Whole number Polls, 1,839.	
Total Poll Tax,	\$5,517 00
Number of dogs, male, 268.	
Number of dogs, female, 24.	
Rate 2 per cent.	
Poll Tax, \$3.00.	
Dog Tax, male, 1.00.	
Dog Tax, female, 2.00.	
Total Dog Tax,	\$316 00

SUPPLEMENTARY.

Personal Estate,	\$2,550 00
Total Tax on Real Estate,	\$42,805 24
Total Tax on Personal Estate,	20,386 40
Total Poll Tax,	5,517 00

Total Dog Tax,	316 00
Supplementary Tax on Personal Estate,	<u>51 00</u>
Total Tax,	\$69,075 64

The abatements made by the Board of 1891, and not reported are as follows :

Maddox Wire Belt Co.,	\$10 00	
Wm Trickey, Poll,	3 00	
Doric Charland,	<u>1 00</u>	\$14 00

We have made the following abatements to N. A. Swett. Collector, 1890 :

Daniel B. Sawyer, Poll, unable to pay,	\$ 3 00
Geo. H. Raymond, real est., unable to pay,	96 00
Geo. H. Raymond, personal estate,	60 00
A. L. Hawkes, personal and real est., unable to pay,	90 00
John F. Grant, personal and poll, N. R.,	7 00
Donald McKellar, poll,	3 00
Ambrose Goosey, poll, minor,	3 00
John Graham, poll, unable to pay,	3 00
H. A. Parsons, poll, N. R.,	3 00
Isaac Bachelder, poll, unable to pay,	3 00
John Brown, No. 10 Scotch Hill, poll, unable to pay,	3 00
August Nadeau, poll, N. R.,	3 00
Wm. Damme, poll, unable to pay,	3 00
Joseph F. Walker, personal,	1 50
Benj. Hussey, poll,	3 00
Donald Bryson, " dead,	3 00
E. E. Barker, " dead,	3 00
Peter Bernard, " N. R.,	3 00
Napoleon Chapman, " N. R.,	3 00

Roger Hilton,	poll, dead,	3 00
Eben Nason,	" poor,	3 00
Isaac Bachelder,	" poor,	3 00
Chas. E. Barker,	" on twice,	3 00
Orrie W. Neal,	" minor,	3 00
Dennis Nadeau,	" on twice,	3 00
E. Goodwin,	" sick,	3 00
Thos. Nailor,	" N. R.	3 00
Arthur Millions,	" dead,	3 00
Solomon Partridge,	unable to pay,	3 00
Frank Phinney,	poll, unable to pay,	3 00
Carle Whitney,	" N. R.,	3 00
Albert Dinsmore,	" on twice,	3 00
Thos. Welch,	" on twice,	3 00
Smith Hawkes,	" N. R.,	3 00
John Washburn,	" N. R.,	3 00
Frank H. Allen,	" on twice,	3 00
Robert J. Pike,	" unable to pay,	3 00
Chas. H. Elwell,	" unable to pay,	3 00
C. R. Howard,	" on twice,	3 00
Howard Wight,	personal, over tax,	3 00
Chas. Madson,	personal,	1 00
Fred G. Additon,	poll,	3 00
Ambrose Anthoine,	poll, on twice,	3 00
Fred S. Libby,	poll & personal, N. R.,	19 00
Chas. London,	personal did not have,	2 00
Dexter K. Hamilton,	poll, minor,	3 00
Francis Beaulier,	" N. R.,	3 00
H. B. Sproul,		13 00

 \$406 50

Abatements to G. Fred Murch, collector for 1891.

W. H. Huston,	poll,	\$ 3 00
Wm. Kerr's est.,	unable to pay,	10 00
Mrs. M. A. Merrill,	personal est., over tax,	9 10
L. A. Rowe,	personal est., over tax,	22 06

Alex Nowel, real est., sick, unable to pay,	32 00
Alex Nowel, poll, N. R.,	3 00
Alphonzo Greenlaw, over tax,	2 00
Andrew Forrest, poll, N. R.,	3 00
McLellan, Lane & Co., poll, error,	3 00
G. E. Robinson, poll, N. R.	3 00
Leander Moody, poll, sick,	3 00
Abner L. Hawkes, personal & real est.,	90 00
Lucian Phinney, poll, N. R.,	6 40
Mrs. E. L. Anderson, real est., unable to pay,	6 00
Darius Lowell est., unable to pay,	14 88
John W. Wood, real est.,	16 00
John W. Wood, poll,	3 00

\$229 44

Isaac Bailey est., real est., over tax,	\$ 5 00
John Grant, personal & poll, N. R.,	7 00
John Bixby, poll,	3 00
Victor Morean, "	3 00
Secard & Thuot, " on twice,	3 00
Johnson Smith, poll, N. R.,	3 00
Geo. G. Foster, "	3 00
Walter Sylvester, " N. R.,	3 00
Alva Moulton, real est., on twice,	12 00
Wm. Arnold, poll, poor,	3 00
John Ashley, " "	3 00
Geo. H. Andrews, " N. R.,	3 00
T. H. Brown, " "	3 00
Chas. L. Burnham, " "	3 00
Wm. Barbour, " dead,	3 00
E. E. Barker, " "	3 00
Fred E. Bachelder, " "	3 00
Ed. F. Barbour, " N. R.,	3 00
Donald Bryson, " dead,	3 00
Nathan Boody, " "	3 00
Josh. Currier, " dead,	3 00
Elezier Chase, " "	3 00

Wm. Casey,	poll, on twice,	3 00
Wm. S. Clark,	" N. R.,	3 00
Leander P. Cobb,	" "	3 00
E. A. Durrell,	" on twice,	3 00
Thomas Decker,	" poor,	3 00
C. E. Davis	"	3 00
Edward Exelson,	" poor,	3 00
Harvey Edwards,	" dead,	3 00
Amos L. Field,	"	3 00
Jas. Frazier,	" on twice,	3 00
Fred A. Files,	" N. R.,	3 00
Geo. Graves,	" "	3 00
Walter Graffam,	" abated by City	
Council,		3 00
Richard Goodwin,	poll, sick,	3 00
John Graham,	" poor,	3 00
Alton Goff,	poll, dead,	3 00
S. H. Hellen,	" N. R.,	3 00
Wm. Hellen,	" "	3 00
Roger Hilton,	" dead,	3 00
J. D. Herrick,	" N. R.,	3 00
Albert J. Hacker,	" "	3 00
Lorenzo Knight,	" dead,	3 00
Lorenzo Knight,	personal,	6 00
John A. Keehan,	poll, N. R.,	3 00
Jacob Gilpatrick,	" "	3 00
Elvin Littlefield,	" dead,	3 00
Peter Libby,	" poor,	3 00
T. C. Lane,	" N. R.,	3 00
Ed. M. Moses,	" poor,	3 00
Benj. Strout,	" N. R.,	3 00
Arthur G. Millions,	" dead,	3 00
Amasa Stanley,	" "	3 00
Benj. Tukey,	" "	3 00
Josh. Sloan,	" N. R.,	3 00
Russell Woodman,	" "	3 00
A. H. Wallace,	" "	3 00

Walter J. Watson, poll, N. R.,	3 00
Russell Wallace, " poor,	3 00
Fred A. Cummings, poll, N. R.,	3 00
Martha Babb, personal, dead,	24 00
T. H. Brown, " N. R.,	1 00
Chas. L. Burnham, poll, N. R.,	3 00
J. W. Conant, bal. real, personal & poll,	20 50
E. A. Durrell, personal, did not have,	2 00
H. B. Sproul,	15 00
F. P. Cummings, real est., over due.	8 00
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	\$503 94

Abatements to N. A. Swett, collector for 1892.

Leander Moody, poll, unable to pay,	\$ 3 00
Leander Valentine, personal, over tax,	30 00
Mrs. M. A. Cox est., real est., over tax,	4 00
Reliance Quinby, personal, dead,	19 70
Mrs. Sarah Jack est., unable to pay,	6 00
Deering Cooley, real est., over tax,	4 00
J. & C. O. Thomas, personal, over tax,	2 50
Timothy Murry est., error,	14 00
James Roberts, personal, over tax,	1 40
F. P. Cummings, real est., over valuation,	8 00
Walter Wyer, real est. over valuation,	4 00
James Reddin, poll, N. R.,	3 00
Chas. Towle, personal, over tax,	1 00
Howard T. Small, poll, unable to pay,	3 00
David Graham, " "	3 00
Ansil Boothby, " "	3 00
Simon Austin, " "	3 00
W. V. Harmon, " "	3 00
Thos. Mayhew, " "	3 00
F. X. Nadeau, " "	3 00
Elezier Chase, " "	3 00
Josiah Cloudman, " "	3 00
Francis Stevenson, " "	3 00

Portland Wooden Ware Co., over valuation,	20 00
Field & Libby real estate, poor,	28 00
Henry S. Babb real est., poll, unable to pay,	23 00
Sarah Haines, real estate,	4 00
David Hayes, personal, did not have,	11 50
Freeman Brown, personal, did not have,	14 00
Mrs. E. L. Anderson, real est., unable to pay,	6 00
Simon Mayberry, personal, over tax,	4 00
Jennie Pennell, personal, over tax,	4 00
Chas. Cousens, poll, non-resident,	3 00
Angie Libby,	3 00
T. L. Dodge, personal, did not have,	2 00
Darius Lowell, est., unable to pay,	14 88
D. M. Beab, poll,	3 00
Eben Nason, poll,	3 00
John Pennell, poll,	3 00
Wm. Goddard, real estate,	2 00
James Frazier, poll,	3 00
Geo. Jordan, est., real estate, over value,	6 00
Laura J. Valentine, personal, did not have,	15 00
Daniel B. Sawyer, poll,	3 00
Jonas Raymond, est., over tax,	38 00
I. F. Quinby, personal, did not have,	44 00
Isaac Bailey, est., real estate,	5 00
John F. Grant, personal and poll N. R.,	7 00
Chas. A. Purington, poll, dead,	3 00
John Craigan, poll,	3 00
James Babb, “	3 00
J. D. Tilton, “	3 00
Daniel Cressey, personal,	6 00
M. G. Roberts, “	80
John A. Clark, real estate, overtax,	2 00
Wm. F. Sawyer, poll,	3 00

Geo. C. Foster, poll and real estate,	10 00
John Bixby, poll,	3 00
Ebenezer Hawkes, real estate, over tax,	10 00
S. F. Hopkinson, personal, did not have,	6 00
Adams & Crague, poll, error,	3 00
Albert & John Trickey, personal,	2 00
Victor Morrean, poll, poor,	3 00
Frank Phinney, “	3 00
Joshua Libby, “ poor,	3 00
A. Senter, “ unable to pay,	3 00
Alpheus Hall, “ unable to pay,	3 00
Nathaniel Hale, “ unable to pay,	3 00
H. M. Crosby, “ on twice,	3 00
Edw. Le Fabre, “ unable to pay,	3 00
James Kean, “ unable to pay,	3 00
Geo. Rochelean, “ unable to pay,	3 00
Herbert O'Briean, “ and dog, dead,	4 00
Chas. W. Wentworth, personal, did not have,	3 06
B. F. Woodman, personal, did not have,	6 00
Chas. London, “ “ “	2 00
Louise Libby, “ “ “	34 60
Frank F. Andrews, “ “ “	40
Geo. W. Debeck, “	1 00
Alva Moulton, real estate, on twice,	10 00
Alfred Chapman, poll, non-resident,	3 00
John A. Cutter, “	3 00
Frank Bailey, “ minor,	3 00
Geo. E. Burnham, “ “	3 00
Chas. S. Babb, “ on twice,	3 00
Alfred S. Sweetsir, “ “	3 00
W. W. Poole, “ “	3 00
C. N. Waterhouse “ “	3 00
N. L. Woodbury, “ “	3 00
Chas. H. Foye, “ “	3 00
Albion Hawkes, “ on three times,	6 00
John Low, est.,	16 00

Levi Gowen,	poll, on twice,	3 00
Thos. C. Hawkes,	“ “	3 00
Geo. E. Brackett,	“ “	3 00
Wm. H. Morrill,	“ “	3 00
Frank H. Allen,	“ “	3 00
Eben G. Anderson,	“ “	3 00
Geo. W. Dyer,	“ “	3 00
C. E. Marshal,	“ out of town,	3 00
Warren Babb,	poll,	3 00
Warren Knight,	“	3 00
Andrew Sinclair,	real est, over valuation,	4 00
Walter Sylvester,	“ “	2 00
Helen T. Bailey,	“ “	14 00
Wm. Kerr, est.,	“ “	10 00
Thos. Shaw,	real estate, error,	9 00
H. B. Sproul,		15 00
E. E. Goodwin,	poll, error,	3 00
Chas. Guymond,	“ on twice,	3 00
Chas. W. Bachelder,	“ “	3 00
John Fortin,	“ “	3 00
Magaloire Damme,	“ dead,	3 00
		<hr/> \$699 84

We received a petition from the citizens of the Pride's Corner and Duck Pond districts asking for a reduction of their valuation but it was not received until after the valuation had been made up and the matter was laid upon the table.

In view of the fact that there are many inequalities in the valuation of the property of the city we recommend that a commission be appointed to make a new valuation, so that the burden of taxation may rest equitably on all.

J. H. HEZELTON,	} <i>Assessors</i>
E. NEWCOMB,	
GEO. T. SPRINGER,	
E. J. HASKELL,	
	<i>of</i>
	<i>Westbrook.</i>

Report of Board of Health.

To the Mayor and City Council of Westbrook:

It has been the custom under our town system to date reports from the 14th of February. We have followed that practice the present year.

The whole number of deaths that have occurred up to the above date is 120, this number includes still born. Out of that number 41 were less than one year old.

The death rate including all recorded is about 17 per 1000. Contagious diseases reported number 32, as follows: diphtheria, 10 cases, 7 deaths; scarlet fever, 19 cases, no deaths; typhoid fever, 3 cases, 1 death.

In the early part of 1892 pneumonia and la grippe claimed the largest number of victims.

10 complaints have been made the past year which have been attended to as far as circumstances would admit. The building of the sewers on Bridge, North and King streets, also the extension on Brackett street, has conveyed a great deal of filth from the surface and extinguished what has heretofore furnished constant occasion for complaint.

Something needs to be done in the neighborhood of Pleasant and Files streets; the only outlet for house drainage at present in that locality seems to lie in the direction of the small pond near the premises of Joseph Hezelton. All excuse for draining into any pond within the city limits should be removed as soon as practicable, for in long continued droughts in hot weather such localities become not only offensive to the eye, but afford a breeding place for disease.

We were at one time last summer threatened with an epidemic of diphtheria. In the latter part of June a family in Scotch row were taken sick with what was pronounced as tonsilitis; it continued to extend until the third family was attacked and the last victim died. It was at that period that the local board learned the condition of things. A public funeral was forbidden and immediate measures taken to restrict the further spread of the disease, but so many had been exposed to the contagion that 7 deaths occurred before the outbreak could be brought under control. There is reason to believe that all the houses that were exposed to the infection have been completely cleansed and disinfected. The experience of the past summer teaches us that what is called tonsilitis is liable to develop some form of diphtheria and that a good degree of caution is advisable in such cases.

The community during the past season has been advised from various sources that the danger from a visitation of cholera the coming spring and summer is very threatening. In case of its appearance on our shores we have no assurance that our own city may not be among the first to suffer from its presence. The population of our city is largely made up of mixed nationalities who have more or less communication with others living abroad. Common prudence then suggests that we as a community adopt the best possible means to secure immunity from the presence of this terrible scourge. It is to be hoped that every householder will readily co-operate in such efforts as shall result in placing us in the best possible sanitary condition so far as the surroundings of our dwellings are concerned. The local board will doubtless be expected to be prompt in the discharge of its duties in requiring the removal of every form of filth, especially in the thickly settled portions of the city.

Sections 3 and 4 of our by-laws are hereby published that all may be informed of their requirements.

SECTION 3. Any accumulation of refuse matter, such as swill, waste of meat, shells, bones, decayed vegetables, dead carcasses, excrement, or any kind of offal which may decom-

pose and generate disease, and thus affect the purity of the air in the immediate vicinity of any dwelling house or place of business, shall be considered a nuisance, and must be removed or disposed of by burial, burning, or otherwise, in such manner that it may not be offensive to the neighborhood wherever located.

SECTION 4. No diseased animal or its flesh, and no decayed meat, fish, vegetables, or fruit, or impure or adulterated milk, nor impure or adulterated article used as food, shall be sold or offered for sale as food.

H. K. GRIGGS,

Secretary, Local Board of Health.

H. T. CLARK,
J. L. HORR,
H. K. GRIGGS, } *Board of Health.*

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
CHIEF ENGINEER
OF THE
WESTBROOK FIRE DEPARTMENT
FOR THE
Year Ending Feb. 27, '93.

Report of Chief Engineer.

OFFICE OF CHIEF FIRE DEPT. }
CITY OF WESTBROOK, Feb. 27, 1893. }

To the Honorable City Council of the City of Westbrook:

Gentlemen:—In accordance with the provisions of section 9, of the ordinance relating to the Fire Department, I have the honor to submit the second annual report of the condition of said department; a roster of the officers and men composing it; an inventory of city property entrusted to their care; a record of all fires and alarms, with the cause thereof; the amount of loss and insurance as near as could be ascertained; the names of owners and occupants, together with the number and location of the hydrants, and such suggestions and recommendations as I believe to be necessary for increased efficiency.

HOUSES.

The department houses continue to be in first-class condition, and except the addition of a suitable stove for drying hose at hose house No 1, will not need any expenditure this year.

APPARATUS.

The apparatus in service is the same as last year, with the addition of 500 feet of hose purchased during the summer and assigned to the care of Hose Co. No. 2. Additional discharge pipes and some supplies have also been purchased, an inventory of which will be found appended to

this report. I am pleased to be able to say that all the apparatus is in excellent condition, although I hope that the appropriation for the coming year will be sufficient to insure the placing of hand rails upon the two hose wagons, and the addition of hub runners for service in winter.

HAULING APPARATUS.

The arrangements made by your committee on Fire Department early last summer have proved to be of great advantage to the efficiency of the department, and results have plainly demonstrated the wisdom of the committee in placing the contracts with Messrs Trafton and Roberts. These gentlemen have promptly answered all demands upon them, and have rendered valuable aid in making the service efficient and reliable.

BADGES.

During the past year additional "rules and regulations" have been adopted by your honorable body, making it obligatory for members of the department when on duty to wear the "City of Westbrook Fire Department Badge." In conformity with this vote your committee have purchased badges and the Board of Engineers have assigned them by numbers to the department members as will be seen by reference to the department roster.

INSPECTION DAY.

I believe that the success which attended our annual inspection of 1892 has clearly demonstrated the feasibility of its continuance in the future, and I trust that arrangements may be made whereby the success of last year may be repeated in '93.

FIRES AND ALARMS.

Fires and alarms that have occurred within the city limits during the municipal year ending Feb. 27, 1893.

Date.	Time.	Owner.	Location.	Cause.	Loss.	Insurance	Apparatus in Service.
1892							
July 6.	3.00 p.m.	E. Gerhardt.	Brackett St.	Tobacco Pipe.	\$ 25 00	None.	None.
Aug. 5	7.30 a.m.	Skillings.	Main opp. Church St.	Unknown.	10 00	None.	None.
Aug. 13	11.45 p.m.	Perrin & Co.	Bridge St.	Unknown.	400 00	Fully.	Hose No. 2.
Sept. 26	1.30 p.m.	Westbrook M'f'g Co.	Scotch Hill.	Fumigation.	None.	None.	None.
Oct. 16	12.40 p.m.	W. K. Dana.	Mechanic St.	Chimney.	10 00	Fully.	Hose No. 2.
Dec. 1	12 40 a.m.	S. D. Warren & Co.	Cumberland St.	Incendiary.	285 00	Fully.	Hose No. 1.
Dec. 1	12.40 a.m.	L. Rand.	Cumberland St.	Incendiary.	Slight.	None.	Hose No. 1.
Dec. 15	9.00 p.m.	Cong. Church.	Main and Brackett Sts.	Overheated Stove.	730 00	None.	None.

HOSE.

The hose in use by this department may be classified as follows: 2,750 feet first-class, 500 feet fair, total 3,250 feet. This 500 feet classed as fair was purchased ten years since, and the cotton fabric is much worn in some places. I am of the opinion that this should be turned over to the Street Department to be used in the flushing of sewers, etc., and a like amount of new hose be purchased for the Fire Department this year.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

Notwithstanding the fact that my suggestion of last year concerning a hook and ladder truck has received no attention from your honorable body, I am of the belief that in the pressure of other business it has been overlooked and therefore bring the matter again to your attention. A good truck is not only desirable but is in truth a necessary adjunct to any Fire Department.

I desire also to call your attention to my recommendation of last year in regard to the placing of more hydrants and I think this should surely be done. The matter of some system of fire alarm should, I think, receive the attention of your honorable body early in the year, as well as the question of increasing the salaries of the members of the companies composing the department.

In conclusion I desire especially to extend thanks to chairman Stewart and Messrs. Haskell and Ward, composing the committee on Fire Department, for their uniform courtesy and consideration during the year and for the interest manifested by them in matters pertaining to the department. The thanks of this department are also due your honorable body for the liberal spirit in which our requests have been met, and especially for the appropriation toward the expenses of "Inspection Day." In this connection I desire also in behalf of this department to thank

those of our citizens who by word or deed aided in making our "Inspection" of '92 an occasion of enjoyment.

To the Board of Engineers my thanks are due for the ability and promptness with which they have assisted in the management of the department, and for the pleasant associations of the year.

To the "bone and sinew," the officers and men comprising the department, I desire to especially express my thanks that their resolutions of last year "to make the Westbrook Fire Department equal to any and second to none," have been so faithfully carried out. In so far as discipline, efficiency and equipment goes, they *are* equal to any and second to none; we lack only numerical strength, and that the coming years, which bring prosperity to our community, will give us.

Respectfully submitted,

CHAS. H. LEIGHTON,

Chief Engineer.

R O S T E R

OF THE

Westbrook Fire Department.

Organized May 14, 1891.

Committee on Fire Department, 1892-3.

PETER STUART.

BENJ. HASKELL

V. D. WARD.

Chief Engineer.

CHARLES H. LEIGHTON.

1st Assistant Engineer.

JOHN BYRNE.

2d Asst. Engineer.

ALMON N. WATERHOUSE.

PRESUMPCOT HOSE CO. NO. 1.

LOCATION, REAR 59 MAIN STREET, WARD 1.

Badge No.	Name.	Rank.	Residence.
2	Frank W. Ricker,	Foreman,	3 Lamb Street.
5	Rueben C. Holston,	Asst. Forem'n	9 Cottage " "
3	Calvin S. Walker,	Clerk,	71 Main " "
4	Wm. W. Neal,	Steward,	58 Cumberland " "
7	Andrew C. Cloudman,	Pipeman,	Main " "
1	Seth C. Morton,	"	3 Lamb " "
10	Henry Hanscom,	"	Main " "
15	Albert Fernald,	"	Main " "
9	E. K. Fernald,	Hoseman,	71 Main " "
12	Howard M. Stevens,	"	7 Lamb " "
14	J. E. Andrews,	"	2 Cumberland " "
6	A. E. Andrews,	"	Main " "
8	Arthur E. Gray,	"	Forrest " "
13	Edward Anderson,	"	Reservoir " "
11	Harry M. Babb,	"	14 Lamb " "

Hose wagon built by Waterhouse and put into service March, 1891. Arranged for one or two horses and will carry 950 feet of 2½ inch rubber lined hose.

PROPERTY IN CHARGE OF HOSE CO. NO. 1.

One hose wagon with pole and shafts, one 14 inch gong, 1,300 feet 2½ inch rubber lined hose, three discharge pipes, fifteen suits oil clothing, twelve spanner belts, one double hydrant gate, one single hydrant gate, two tubular lanterns, two brass hand lanterns, two warehouse lanterns, two stoves, nineteen hose hoists, one two-wheeled jumper, two fire axes, fifty feet ¾ inch hand hose, one whip, one wagon cover, five hydrant wrenches, five hose lighters, thirteen spanners, six bracket lamps, three scrubbing brushes, one feather duster, one mop, one broom, two cuspidors, four feet of wood, one Allen coupling expander, one dozen thimbles, one five gallon oil tank, one gallon kerosene oil, one framed copy rules and regulations, one table, one desk, twenty-four chairs, insignia for foreman, assistant foreman and clerk, one 1¼ inch auger, fifteen badges.

F. W. RICKER, *Foreman.*

VALENTINE HOSE CO. NO. 2.

LOCATION, MECHANIC ST., BET. MAIN & P. R. R. LOCATION.

Badge No.	Name.	Rank.	Residence.
21	Elmer Mason,	Foreman,	114 Main Street.
20	Wm. Hamilton,	Asst. Foreman,	33 Central “
30	Walter Hale,	Clerk,	21 Brackett “
25	Greeley Loring,	Steward,	46 Brackett “
19	George Irish,	Pipeman,	114 Main “
22	Joseph Smith,	“	2 Scotch Hill
24	Fred Libby,	“	Union “
26	Thomas Shaw,	“	Union “
23	James H. Welsh,	Hoseman,	Brown “
28	Thomas Welsh,	“	21 Central “
29	Chas. Morrill,	“	Union “
16	Chas. F. Partridge,	“	24 Brackett “
17	Geo. A. Parsons,	“	46 Brackett “
18	H. M. Crosby,	“	Cor Union & Mid. “

Hose wagon built by Waterhouse and put into service March, 1891. Is arranged for one or two horses and will carry 950 feet 2½ inch rubber lined hose.

PROPERTY IN CHARGE OF HOSE CO. NO. 2.

One hose wagon with pole and shafts, two 2 wheeled hose jumper, 1,950 feet 2½ inch rubber lined hose, three discharge pipes, one double hydrant gate, one single hydrant gate, two brass lanterns, two tin tubular lanterns, one warehouse lantern, one feather duster, two stoves, one gallon iron boiler, one tin boiler, eighteen chairs, one desk, fourteen hose hoists, three electric lamps, one whip, one axe, four hydrant wrenches, seventeen spanners, three feet of wood, two cuspidors, one dust pan and brush, one gallon oil can, thirteen suits oil clothing, six scrubbing brushes, four hose lighters, one wagon cover, fifty feet ¾ inch hand hose, one dozen spanner belts, one 14 inch gong, insignia for foreman, assistant foreman and clerk, ¼ ton of coal, fifteen badges.

ELMER MASON, *Foreman.*

CITY PROPERTY AT CHIEF ENGINEER'S OFFICE, FEB. 27, 1893.

Eight suits oil clothing, one-fourth dozen tin tubular lanterns, one-fourth dozen hose lighters, one dozen hose straps, one-fourth dozen scrubbing brushes, three badges for engineers, fifteen department badges, insignia for engineers.

LOCATION OF HYDRANTS.

No.		No.	
1	Main, cor. Saco St.	32	Brown, near cor. Cottage Pl.
2	" at Foster & Brown's	33	" " school house.
3	" cor. Central St.	34	" " G. F. Cook's.
4	" " Bridge St.	35	" cor King.
5	" " Brackett St.	36	" front I. Houston's.
6	" " Church St.	37	" opp. Catholic church.
7	" " Spring St.	38	" near cor. Bridge.
8	" front Baptist Church.	39	Windham, ft. H. Jewett's.
9	" " Debeck residence	40	" opp. A. L. Hawkes.
10	" opp. B. F. Roberts.	41	Bridge, opp. S. Mayberry's.
11	" front Warren S. H.	42	North, cor. River.
12	" cor. Haskell St.	43	Saco, near school house.
13	" " Rochester St.	44	" cor. Valentine.
14	" front Brown's Hall.	45	Mechanic, cor. Valentine.
15	" cor. Seavey St.	46	" near W. K. Dana's.
16	" opp. E. B. Newcomb's	47	Valentine, near school h.
17	" junc. Cumberland St.	48	Central, cor. Cross.
18	Lamb, Cor. Oak.	49	" near Highland House.
19	" " Cottage.	50	Brackett, cor. Cross.
20	" " Gray.	51	" near G. T. Springer's.
21	" " Park.	52	" cor. Pennell.
22	Seavey, cor. Gray.	53	Church, cor. Cross.
23	" " Cottage.	54	Spring, ft. J. H. Hezelton's.
24	Haskell, cor. Pine.	55	" " Geo. Mariner's
25	" near G. Bachelder's	56	" cor. Valentine.
26	Rochester, Pelham house.	57	Scotch Hill.
27	Cumb. cor. Warren ave.	58	Reservoir st., 2½ in. outlet— private—S. D. W. & Co.
28	" opp. Reading room.	59	Reservoir st., cor. new st.
29	" " J. E. Warren's	60	Town Farm.
30	Brown, ft. Libby's board'g h		
31	" Bee Hive.		

PROPERTY IN CHARGE OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT
FEB. 25, 1893.

2 horse hose wagons with gongs,	\$ 630 00
3,250 ft. 2½ in. rubber lined hose,	1,625 00
6 discharge pipes,	90 00
36 suits oil clothing,	126 00
2 double hydrant gates,	50 00
2 single hydrant gates,	20 00
8 tin tubular lanterns,	4 00
4 brass hand lanterns,	12 00
3 warehouse lanterns,	6 00
2 feather dusters,	2 00
4 stoves,	78 00
1 gallon iron boiler,	3 00
1 tin boiler,	4 00
33 hose hoists,	82 50
3 two wheeled jumpers,	45 00
3 fire axes,	9 00
2 wagon covers,	6 00
2 whips,	3 00
2 1¼ in. augers,	2 00
100 feet ¾ in. hand hose,	10 00
9 hydrant wrenches,	4 50
12 hose lighters,	6 00
41 hose spanners and 21 belts,	38 50
6 bracket lamps,	3 00
3 electric lamps,	1 50
13 scrubbing brushes,	1 00
1 mop,	30
7 brooms,	60
4 cuspidors,	1 00
8 ft. sawed wood,	12 00
1 Allen coupling expander and rings,	15 00
1 5 gal. oil tank,	1 25
1 1 " "	35

2 gals. kerosene oil,	20	
2 desks,	27 00	
1 table,	3 00	
42 chairs,	31 50	
2 framed copies regulations,	4 00	
48 Westbrook Fire Dept. badges,	45	
nickle, 3 gilt,	39 75	
Insignia for 2 engineers,	2 50	
" " 2 foremen,	3 00	
" " 2 assistant foremen,	2 00	
" " 2 clerks,	2 50	
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Civil Engineer's Report

OF THE

CITY OF WESTBROOK

FOR THE

YEAR 1892.

Report of City Civil Engineer.

To the Honorable City Council of the City of Westbrook.

Gentlemen:—I herewith submit a partial report of work done by me as acting City Civil Engineer for the year ending March 1st, 1893.

The first work of the year was the preparation for the entrance of the Portland & Westbrook street railway through the principal streets of our city. This work consisted in defining the side lines, and grade along the most of the route of said road. Acting under the direction of the committee on new streets, I reproduced the side lines of Main street as established by the County Commissioners in 1881. I also established a grade which was confirmed by the same committee. This grade was deemed too radical by some of the abutters, and the Railway Company were asked to change the same. This was done at some expense to the Railway Company, but there was still a good deal of dissatisfaction, and on petition of many citizens along the street the grade was again changed to nearly or quite the same as that at first made.

There was also much complaint about the location of side lines of said street, and some difficulty was experienced in persuading the abutters to allow the street to be straightened to the correct lines, but it was finally done, and I submit that the improvement in the looks of the north-western side of Main street is enough so that the straightening of streets in this city should be an easy thing to do from this time out.

Near the middle of December, 1892, I was directed to locate the side lines of Brown street from a point near Ithamar Houston's to its junction with Cumberland street, but on account of severe weather, etc., I have so far been

unable to do the work. I would, however, at this time take the opportunity to earnestly recommend to the city authorities the necessity of establishing the side lines and grade of all the streets as soon as possible. Buildings are being erected all over the city with no regard to grade, and in many instances with no regard for, or even knowledge of the correct location of the street lines. This is in my opinion all wrong and the time will soon come, if this matter is not attended to, when to make a grade anywhere near right will entail heavy damages for the city to pay. On the other hand, if grades were fixed, even though the streets were not brought to this grade for some years, yet owners would be able to build at such height, and in such location, as that there would be no trouble at such time as that street was brought to its proper grade.

I have made surveys for sewers in Bridge, Lincoln, Brown, North, King and Brackett streets, and these sewers have been built according to the plans which I have caused to be placed in the custody of the city authorities. I would call the attention of the city officials to the special problems involved in the further extension of sewers in King and Brackett streets, and hope that the general system of sewers, of which mention is hereafter made, will be completed before anything further in the way of sewers is done in these streets.

In the latter part of September a small appropriation was made to defray the expense of a general survey of the city in relation to a system for sewers. This work was in charge of Joseph A. Warren, and was followed up with vigor until the middle of December, when on account of severe weather we were obliged to suspend out-door work. This work should be finished the coming year, and in fact before anything more in the way of actual sewer work is done. The cost of completing this work will be considerable, as a complete contour map of the whole area likely to become thickly settled will have to be made, and in addition to this all the present sewers will have to be accurately located on the map which is to be made.

The city of Deering had a similar survey made a few years ago, the cost of which, including the service of an expert, was as nearly as I can find out \$1,200. I should say that the sum of \$400 would be required to do the remaining field and office work for this scheme, and for the advice of an expert from \$50 to \$250, according to the amount of work required, and the standing of the man employed.

The work thus far done consists of a system of bench marks, the levels of which have been accurately determined, to which all future engineering work of the city should be referred. These bench marks are not in themselves what they should be, most of them being the tops of hydrants. These, as a matter of course, will in a few years at most be replaced, but while they last are reasonably good. Before they are removed, and in fact within a few years these benches should be transferred to stone monuments or other permanent structures for future reference.

In addition to the levels above described, a survey of about three-quarters of the area of the present villages, known as East and West End, has been made, and the notes, after being carefully balanced, have been plotted to a scale of three hundred feet per inch.

This map will show all of the streets, lanes and alleys covered by the survey, also the location and size of all buildings of whatever kind, the hydrants, river, dams, railways, and in fact everything of importance on the surface covered. The notes are sufficiently full to make profiles of all the streets, alleys, etc., of the area covered, but more work will have to be done before the contour map could be completed.

The work now remaining to be done is a survey of the area between streets, and included in the area likely to become thickly settled, the survey of the remaining one-quarter of present streets, and the accurate locating of sewers now in existence. The work thus far done will be of no value in designing a system without some knowledge of these intermediate districts. The sewers put in by me can be

located on the map without further field work. Most of the sewers put in previous to 1889 will have to be located by actual measurements, as very few plans of sewers put in previous to that date can be found. Even if these plans were found, they would not in all instances give the necessary data, as the levels at that time were not referred to any datum plane which can be found at the present time.

In addition to the field work referred to above as remaining to be done, there is also office work to be done. The present map cannot be completed until the field work is completed. Then there will be profiles, details, and preliminary estimates to be made before the scheme could be reviewed intelligently by the expert.

In conclusion I would suggest that having covered the most thickly settled portion of the city, and therefore the most expensive part to survey, that the city could at this time have an assessor's map made much more cheaply than could be done at any future time. Our notes of the area already covered are sufficiently good to make sectional maps from at a scale of say 80 feet per inch, which scale would show up to good advantage everything necessary to show. I have in my possession many plans of lots as laid out in this city, which I would be pleased to incorporate into this last mentioned plan, thus saving some expense to the city.

Respectfully submitted,

H. W. FOSTER,

Acting City Civil Engineer.

Report of City Physician.

WESTBROOK, Feb. 25, 1893.

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council of Westbrook:

I have the honor herewith to present the following report.

My professional services have not been required during the past year for any of the inmates of the Alms House. This speaks volumes of praise for the good and faithful management of our superintendent and wife, at the farm.

Calls for professional services among the outside poor have been frequent and many. The number of such visits, at our ordinary charges, would amount to more than the salary given the city physician.

Julia Charon is the only one who has died among those treated of the outside poor. She was in the advanced stages of consumption when my year commenced, but she lingered until last January. The other cases treated have not been of a serious nature, and, consequently, not mentioned in this report.

To all associated with me in caring for or worthy of praise, I can only return thanks for courtesy and kindness to me at all times.

Respectfully submitted,

J. L. HERR, M. D.,

City Physician.

Committee on Public Grounds.

To the City Council of the City of Westbrook.

*Gentlemen :—*The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings respectfully submit the following report.

Early in the season a vote to build a fence around the school lot at Rocky Hill, was passed. After considerable delay caused by inability to find the correct line of the lot, the fence was built. [For cost of same see Auditor's Report.] By vote of City Council we caused to be built a fence around the old cemetery on the Gorham road. [For cost of same see Auditor's report.] The city has purchased during the year an addition to the grammar school lot at Cumberland Mills, suitable for either an addition to the present school building, or a separate one.

By recommendation of the Board of Health the Council authorized your committee to examine the store house on the city farm, with a view of putting it in condition for a pest house. After examining the building, we recommended that a new building be built for the purpose, and that the present one be used for wood room, carriage house, and work room. Our recommendation was not acted upon, but your committee are still of the opinion that the city should have a place ready for an outbreak of small pox or other contagious disease. A petition quite numerously signed was brought before the Council praying that the height of water in the Beaver Pond be raised, and the matter was referred to your committee. A meeting of the committee, to hear interested parties, was appointed and

advertised in two issues of the Westbrook Chronicle. As a result there met at the appointed time and place, one member of the committee and one petitioner. No business of importance was transacted.

On recommendation of the Mayor a move was made by the Council toward securing a suitable accommodation for city officers in Odd Fellows block. Your committee were detailed to confer with the trustees in regard to the matter. We laid the case before them at once, but at this date have received no intimation of what terms we can make with them. Before leaving this subject, we wish to record our conviction that the city ought, at an early date, secure land, and erect suitable buildings for city offices. It is reasonable to suppose that land in a good location in our fast-growing city will never be cheaper than at present, and the need of city buildings must be apparent to all.

Respectfully submitted,

THOS. J. FOSTER,	}	<i>Committee</i>
P. L. STUART,		
FABIEN L'HEUREUX,		

Committee on Laying Out New Streets.

To the City Council of Westbrook:—

Comparatively few matters have been referred to this committee during the past municipal year.

Last May our attention was called to the condition of the so-called Rochester street extension between the two cemeteries. Sand had been removed from the north side of the street to such an extent as to undermine the fence of the Catholic cemetery.

We recognized the fact that it was the business of the city to repair the fence, but from various causes the work remains to be done. This should, and evidently will, be attended to early this year.

Permission was granted the Portland Railway Company to locate a turnout at the reverse curve in its track near the Berean church on Main street.

The vast amount of work devolving upon our Street Commissioner during the year rendered it impossible for him to make any improvements upon the extension of Warren street, although money was appropriated for this purpose. This work should be taken up the coming year and the street put in a passable condition.

A petition was received from some of the residents of the Duck Pond section of the city in reference to defining the boundaries of the old county road in that vicinity. Action was taken by the Council requesting the County Commissioners to locate and define the boundaries of said road. This work was done by the Commissioners to the evident satisfaction of all parties interested.

The petition of S. D. Warren & Co., requesting the privilege of crossing Main and Cumberland streets with tramways, was referred to this committee and reported upon favorably to the Council, when the request was granted.

One of the most important matters that came before the committee was that in reference to increasing the width and thereby straightening Brown street at the Corner near Ithamar Houston's property, and at a point immediately west of the M. C. Railroad. The consideration of this matter was not taken up until late in the year, in fact too late to do the necessary work. The City Civil Engineer, Mr. Foster, was called upon to advise as to the best methods of accomplishing what was needed; but the winter was then so far advanced that the preliminary surveys could not be made; hence the whole matter will have to go over to another year.

W. W. CUTTER,	} <i>Committee on Laying out New Streets.</i>
BENJ. HASKELL,	
S. A. CORDWELL,	
B. G. PRIDE,	
A. K. WALKER,	

Report of Street Commissioner.

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council :

Gentlemen:—According to the requirements of the city ordinance I have the honor to submit the following report of the Street and Sewer Dept. from March 21, 1892 to March 21, 1893 :

SIDEWALK.

All of the plank sidewalk on Main street has been removed from the Universalist church at West End to Kimball Eastman's store at East End, and from P. & R. R. R. on Cumberland street to Presumpscot river from Warren church to Brown's Hall ; also 128 running feet on Rochester street, 284 feet on Pleasant, 338 feet on Brackett street, 304 on Depot street, which has been replaced with concrete. 84 feet of new plank walk has been built on Longfellow street, and 80 on Lincoln street ; 220 running feet of brick walk on Bridge and Brackett streets has been built with stone curb. The large amount of filling on the flat prevented any new walk being built in that section.

SEWERS.

During the year 2,783 linear feet of sewers have been constructed on Bridge, Brown, North, King and Lincoln streets, of which 600 feet of that on Bridge and Lincoln streets was ledge, which made the excavating very expensive.

Thirteen new cesspools have been constructed to connect with the old sewers which were greatly needed.

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Three bridges have been newly planked. One at Cumberland Mills over the Presumpscot river, one on Spring street over Stroudwater river, one at Duck Pond over Mill Brook.

Two bridges have had to have new stringers, Spring street and Bixby bridge. Material used, southern pine.

About 45 feet of the wing wall on Bridge street was re-laid which was quite expensive, as it required the use of a derrick.

Saco street has had a coat of crushed stone from Main street to the canal, Stroudwater street from Main street to C. W. Dennett's house, and the old Gorham road from Main to Daniel Conant's. We have also railed across North, King and River streets on the bank of the Presumpscot river, and on Valentine street from Brackett to Stephen Murphy's lot.

The most expensive repairs on the streets this year were that of lowering the grade at East End, near W. W. Lamb's, Kimball Eastman's and B. D. Elwell's, Church street hill at West End near F. M. Ray's, and the fill near H. M. Raymond's.

I have also piled on Brackett, Brown, Main and Central streets 167½ cords of gravel for spring use, at a cost of \$3.52 per cord.

SCHEDULE OF PROPERTY IN CHARGE OF
STREET COMMISSIONER.

16 shovels, 7 picks, 1 grub, 1 stone hammer, 1 crowbar, 1 tool chest, 1 lantern, 1 oil can, 1 spoon shovel, 1 hand saw, 1 hydrant wrench, 1 sewer chisel, 75 pounds mixed nails, 1 hard pan plough, 1 pick rod, 1 sewer brush, 1 axe, 1 spade, 4 feet 10 inch Y's, 4 feet 8 inch Y's, 4 feet 20 inch pipe, 4 feet 12 inch pipe, 70 feet 8 inch pipe, 4 feet 8 inch T's, 179 cords gravel.

Respectfully submitted,

S. H. SKILLINGS,

Street Commissioner.

R E P O R T

OF THE

Overseers of the Poor

OF THE

CITY OF WESTBROOK

FOR THE

YEAR 1892.

Report of Overseers of the Poor.

To the Honorable Mayor and Council of the City of Westbrook.

Gentlemen:—We hereby submit for your consideration a report of our doings as Overseers of the Poor for the past year.

Unfortunately for us, we were an entirely new board, so that it required considerable work to get a clear and intelligent idea of our duties.

Our first work was to visit all the families and individuals aided by the city, also to secure a superintendent for the Alms House and Farm, Mr. and Mrs. Sawyer having given their notice not to remain. William T. Mitchell and wife of Falmouth, Maine, were engaged, and the inmates show that they have been well cared for during the year.

There has been no sickness at the Alms House. Dr. J. L. Horr was engaged as City Physician for the year at a salary of fifty dollars.

The number of inmates at the Alms House at the commencement of the year was eight. Three have left during the year, namely: George Maffet, who received a pension and is living with his sister at Cumberland Mills; one Doroughty and Joseph Hudson, who are taking care of themselves, the latter working for Nathan Boothby. No inmates have been added during the year, thus leaving the present number at the Alms House, five.

Two dollars per week is received by the city for Mrs. Killian's board. Esther Kennard and Annie Webber are still at the Insane Hospital, at Augusta. Wm. Brown is at Mrs. Bettes', Cross street, at two dollars per week. John H. Sawyer is with his sister, Mrs. Simon Elwell, Cumberland Mills, at two dollars per week. Wm. Jameson, now twenty-eight years old, is still at Joseph Barbour's, and owing to his condition, we have increased their compensation to one dollar and twenty-five cents per day. He has occasional violent attacks and at those times it is necessary to keep him confined. The total number of families and individuals to whom aid has been given is forty-five. About seventeen families and individuals are at this time receiving aid from the city.

We have furnished transportation for ten persons to Canada and other places in order not to support them here, saving expense to the city.

We have aided one resident of Buxton, two of Deering, one of Greenwood and one of Biddeford.

One horse on the farm died and we were obliged to purchase another. Have bought one car of ashes and quite a quantity of dressing. Have laid down four acres of land. We were obliged to put in a new furnace at the Alms House, the old one being unfit for use. The present one is the largest size, capable of heating the entire building.

We have had the care of Edward Chapman for the past two months; he has not been moved to the Alms House, but has had care and supplies daily by Mr. Mitchell, superintendent. We would recommend that the Chapman estate be placed in the hands of the Overseers of the Poor.

There have been lodged and confined at the Alms House during the past year, forty-two tramps and twenty-eight prisoners.

Itemized bills of our expenditures will be found in the Auditor's report.

We hereby add an inventory of the city property, both real estate and personal, in our department.

The Real Estate consists of

Town Farm and Alms House, valued at	\$7,500 00
Pest House, valued at	300 00
Total,	<hr/> \$7,800 00

The personal property is as follows, stock and farming tools :

Three horses, valued at	\$450 00
Three cows,	75 00
Two hogs,	28 00
Thirty-six hens,	18 00
1 plow, 1 harrow, 2 cultivators,	35 00
1 mowing machine,	35 00
1 stone roller,	30 00
1 double, 1 single work wagon, 1 wood cart,	100 00
1 set sleds, 1 cart,	40 00
1 set wheels, 1 hay rack,	40 00
1 dump cart, wheels, 100 ft. 1 in. hose,	45 00
3 dray rakes, 2 hand rakes,	3 00
1 Concord wagon,	30 00
2 sets double harness, 1 ice chest,	50 00
3 single harness, collar and hames.	20 00
blankets, halters, 1 beach wagon,	27 00
1 wolf robe, 1 hitch weight,	8 00
2 sleighs, 1 pung, 1 stump lifter,	55 00
1 hay tedder,	30 00
grind stone,	1 00
1 horse rake, scythes and snaths,	35 00
1 new furnace and fixtures,	350 00
2 hoes, 2 reels barbed wire,	4 00
2 axes, 2 wood saws and chains,	5 25
1 pick ax,	1 00
1 ice-cream freezer,	2 00
1 preserve kettle,	1 00

24 milk pans, 24 hand grenades,	25 00	
2 old pumps and pipes,	2 00	
1 sewing machine,	18 00	
2 bed pans,	5 00	
1 bath tub,	8 00	
1 cross-cut saw, 6 forks,	5 00	
3 wheelbarrows,	3 00	
6 stones,	82 00	
3 pair crutches, chain, ball and fetters,	15 00	
household furniture,	350 00	
1 churn and milk closet,	15 00	
1 carpenter bench and tools,	12 00	
1 stone hammer,	1 00	
monkey wrenches, shovels, wedges,	10 00	
300 bricks,	2 10	
3 empty oil barrels,	4 50	
350 ft. oak and ash plank,	7 00	
100 clapboards,	1 50	
1 10 gallon oil can,	1 75	
100 fence stakes,	2 00	
6 vinegar barrels,	5 00	
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Total Personal Property,		\$2,093 10
Total Real Estate,		7,800 00
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Total Real and Personal Estate,		\$9,893 10

Supplies on hand :

2 bbls. flour,	\$ 9 00
28 lbs. butter,	8 40
2 " tea,	1 00
40 " lard,	6 00
40 " ham,	6 00
60 bush. potatoes,	45 00
7 " apples,	5 25
125 gal. vinegar, 20c,	25 00

30 gal. molasses,	12 00
10 lbs, sugar,	55
3 " spices,	60
42 " soda,	2 52
35 bars soap,	2 10
5 bush. corn,	2 80
2 bbls. pork,	50 00
½ bush. peas,	1 00
3 gals. oil,	25
9½ bush. beans, \$2.50,	23 75
9 tons coal,	63 00
25 bush. ashes,	5 00
51 cords wood, prepared and unprepared,	229 50
4 bush. oats,	1 88
1 box salt,	20
4 cords dressing in field,	26 00
8 " " in barn cellar,	40 00
2½ tons straw,	20 00
15 " hay,	225 00
2 bags cotton seed, \$1.50,	3 00
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Total supplies on hand,	\$814 80

We would recommend the appropriation of \$2,000 for the Alms House and Farm, and \$3,000 for the outside poor, for the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH KNIGHT,	} Overseers
J. P. SAWYER	
ISAIAH D. LEIGHTON	
	of
	the Poor.

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